Senate Bills

SB1 (BR1163)/LM - D. Carroll, J. Schickel, R. Alvarado, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, P. Hornback, S. Meredith, R. Mills, D. Thayer, S. West, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to federal immigration cooperation.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 61 to prohibit law enforcement agencies, law enforcement officials, employees of a law enforcement agency or public agencies, public officials, or employees of a public agency or public institution operating under KRS Chapter 164 from enacting, adopting, or otherwise enforcing any sanctuary policy relating to immigration; require law enforcement officials, representatives, agents, and employees of law enforcement agencies, public officials, representatives, agents, and employees of public agencies to use their best efforts, considering available resources, to support the enforcement of federal immigration law; exempt school districts, district boards of education, public charter schools, and employees and contractors from the provisions of the section; provide that any immigration sanctuary policy adopted prior to or after the effective date of the Act in violation of Section 1 of the Act is invalid, void, and unenforceable; allow the Governor, Attorney General, or any state constitutional officer to bring an action for enforcement through injunctive action; establish a short title .

SB1 - AMENDMENTS

SCS1/LM - Retain original provisions of the bill, but specify that the definition of law enforcement official applies to those individuals serving in agencies in the Commonwealth, include within the definition of sanctuary policy, relating to immigration, references to federal agencies and federal law enforcement officials, specify law enforcement officials and entities within the Commonwealth must coordinate with federal entities for the support of the enforcement of federal immigration law in compliance with federal and state law, and specify that the section creates no new expectation or requirement for enforcement of federal immigration law by those specified entities, specify that public agencies and public officials and employees of public agencies are to use their best efforts in supporting the enforcement of federal immigration law in response to valid and legal requests from a federal agency, federal law enforcement or a law enforcement official, provide that the public agencies and public officials and employees of public agencies need not comply with requests that are in direct conflict with federal or state law, provide that public agencies and public officials and employees of public agencies need not comply with a request for assistance in the enforcement of federal immigration law if that request does not fall within the scope of that entity's ability to comply, or within the official's or employee's job duties or employment with the agency, specify that the section does not create an obligation for public agencies and public officials and employees of public agencies to take law enforcement actions relating to the enforcement of federal immigration law, specify that individuals charged with assisting in the enforcement of federal immigration law are not required to perform duties related to the illegal immigration status of a person that may be imposed as a result of Section 1 of the Act that the person is a U.S. citizen or is otherwise in the United States in conformity with applicable state and federal laws, exclude domestic violence shelters, children's advocacy centers, rape crisis cents, public advocacy offices, and enumerated iterations of health departments from the provisions of Section 1 of the Act.

SFA1(R. Thomas) - Amend Section 1 by removing reference to campus security under the definition of "law enforcement agency"; and exclude public universities and affiliated entities from the definition of "public agency"; remove reference of public universities and affiliated entities from the prohibition of immigration sanctuary policy enforcement; require enumerated entities to support United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement rather than use the enumerated entities' best efforts considering available resources; support the enforcement of federal immigration law; remove references of enumerated entities not having to perform duties resulting from verifying proof of citizenship or lawful immigration status; remove references to adopting a policy that permits the collecting of information as to the nationality or immigration status of a victim of or witness to a crime.

SFA2(R. Thomas) - Amend Section 1 by removing reference to campus security under the definition of "law enforcement agency"; and exclude public universities and affiliated entities from the definition of "public agency"; remove reference of public universities and affiliated entities from the prohibition of immigration sanctuary policy enforcement; require enumerated entities to support United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement rather than use the enumerated entities' best efforts considering available resources; support the enforcement of federal immigration law; remove references of enumerated entities not having to perform duties resulting from verifying proof of citizenship or lawful immigration status; remove references to adopting a policy that permits the collecting of information as to the nationality or immigration status of a victim of or witness to a crime.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)
Jan 10, 2020 - taken from Judiciary (S); 1st reading; returned to Judiciary (S)
Jan 13, 2020 - taken from Judiciary (S); 2nd reading; returned to Judiciary (S)
Jan 14, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules with Committee Substitute (1); floor amendment (2) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 04, 2020 - 3rd reading; floor amendment (1) withdrawn; floor amendment (2) defeated; passed 28-10 with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 05, 2020 - received in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Feb 10, 2020 - posted in committee

SB2 (BR1168)/CI/LM - R. Mills, D. Thayer, R. Alvarado, D. Carroll, M. Castlen, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, S. Meredith, M. Nemes, S. West, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to voter identification and making an appropriation therefor.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 117 to allow a voter to cast a provisional ballot if the voter is unable to produce proof of identification, by executing a provisional voter's affidavit furnished by the State Board of Elections; describe the voting procedure for casting a provisional ballot; describe how to validate a provisional ballot or provisional absentee ballot by requiring the provisional voter to appear before the county clerk or county board of elections to provide an affidavit stating that the voter is the same individual who cast the provisional ballot or provisional absentee ballot, and to either show proof of identification or give a sworn statement as to the reasonable impediment that precluded the voter from obtaining proof of identification with an accompanying Social Security card, an identification card that has been approved by the State Board of Elections, any identification card with picture and signature, or a credit card; amend KRS 116.065 to include provisional ballots and provisional absentee ballots in the requirements for verification and the penalties of perjury; amend KRS 117.066 to clarify that there are two ballot boxes that are transferred to the county board of elections and to conform; amend KRS 117.077 to require proof of identification to be sent with the absentee ballot request; provide for the voter to cast a provisional absentee ballot if the voter did not submit proof of identification; amend KRS 117.085 to set out the requirements for provisional absentee voting when voting by mail and for canceling the absentee ballots when the voter is able to vote in person on election day; amend KRS 117.0851 to include provisional absentee ballots with absentee ballots in the tabulation procedures; amend KRS 117.086 to provide instructions to the absentee voter on how to vote a provisional absentee ballot; include provisional absentee ballots in absentee voting procedures; provide for provisional absentee ballots for persons who appear in person to vote an absentee ballot but who are unable to provide proof of identification; require separate ballot boxes and lists for absentee ballots and provisional absentee ballots; amend KRS 117.0863 to include provisional absentee ballots in the requirements for absentee ballots; amend KRS 117.0865 to include provisional absentee ballots in the prohibition against aiding another in completing an absentee ballot or encouraging the voter to vote in a particular way; amend KRS 117.087 to exclude all provisional absentee ballots from the requirements in the section; amend KRS 117.145 to require the county clerk to print a sufficient number of provisional absentee ballots, provisional voter affidavits, and provisional ballots; specify the form of the provisional absentee ballot, and provisional ballots; amend KRS 117.175 to include instructions for filling out provisional ballots, and provisional voter affidavits in the instruction cards provided by the county clerk; amend KRS 117.187 to include instruction on proof of identification in the training provided by the county board of elections; amend KRS 117.195 to include provisional ballots, provisional voter affidavits, and a locked ballot box for provisional ballots in the items furnished to each precinct by the county clerk; amend KRS 117.225 to require that a voter provide proof of identification in order to cast a vote in a precinct polling place; provide an exception to requiring proof of identification if the voter resides in a state licensed care facility where the voting is taking place; amend KRS 117.227 to delete the requirement that a person's identify may be confirmed by personal acquaintance or by specific documents other than those documents designated as providing proof of identification in this Act; amend KRS 117.245 to specify that the challenge procedures do not apply to failure to provide proof of identification; amend KRS 117.255 to include provisional voters and provisional ballots in the instructions for marking a spoiled ballot; amend KRS 117.265 to include provisional voters and provisional ballots in the instructions for write-in candidates; amend KRS 117.275 to provide for tabulation of provisional ballots by the county board of elections; amend KRS 117.305 to include provisional ballots and provisional absentee ballots in the recanvassing procedures; amend KRS 117.365 to include provisional voter affidavits in the documents to be presented to the grand jury; amend KRS 117.375 to include provisional ballot and provisional absentee ballot in the definition of "ballot" or "official ballot" and to define "proof of identification," "provisional voter," and "provisional ballot" or "provisional absentee ballot"; amend KRS 117.383 to include provisional ballot cards in the State Board of Elections requirement to design ballot cards; amend KRS 117.385 to include instructions on how a voter is to place a provisional ballot with the accompanying affidavit in the appropriate envelope and box in the presence of a precinct election officer; amend KRS 117.995 to include provisional voting in the penalty provisions relating to voting; amend KRS 118.015 to define "ballot" or "official ballot" to include provisional ballots and provisional absentee ballots; amend KRS 118.305 to require the county clerk to print provisional ballots and provisional absentee ballots for the voting machines, and to ensure that provisional absentee ballots are not tabulated or recorded for any candidate who was replaced; provide that candidates for members of boards of education shall have their names printed on the provisional ballots; ensure that only duly nominated candidates shall have their names printed on provisional absentee ballots and provisional ballots; amend KRS 118.405 to prohibit more than one appearance of a candidate's name on any provisional ballot or

provisional absentee ballot; amend KRS 118A.010 to define "ballot" or "official ballot" to include provisional ballots and provisional absentee ballots; amend KRS 118A.100 to require county clerks to print on provisional ballots and provisional absentee ballots the candidates for offices of the Court of Justice; amend KRS 118A.130 to prohibit a judicial candidates name from appearing more than once on a provisional ballot or a provisional absentee ballot; amend KRS 118A.150 to allow only duly nominated candidates to the Court of Justice to have their names printed on provisional absentee ballots and provisional ballots; amend KRS 119.005 to redefine "ballot" or "official ballot" to include provisional ballots and provisional absentee ballots; amend KRS 120.005 to redefine "ballot" or "official ballot" to include provisional ballots and provisional absentee ballots; amend KRS 186.531 to allow a free standard personal identification card to an individual who does not then currently have a valid operator's license or commercial driver's license, is at least 18 years of age, and is otherwise eligible to vote in the regular election.

SB2 - AMENDMENTS

SCS1/CI/FN/LM - Retain the provisions of the bill with the following changes: replace the entirety of Sections 1 and 2 of the bill and re-create with two new sections of KRS Chapter 117 with the following changes: allow a voter to cast a ballot on the day of a primary or an election, who is unable to produce a photo proof of identification, if the voter executes a voter's affirmation furnished by the State Board of Elections affirming the reasonable impediment that precluded the voter from obtaining photo proof of identification; in addition to the affirmation, the voter must also provide an alternative ID such as an accompanying Social Security card, an identification card that has been approved by the State Board of Elections, any identification card with picture and signature, or debit or a credit card, in order for the voter to cast a ballot on the day of a primary or an election; allow voters who, on the day of a primary or an election, are unable to provide photo proof of identification, and are also unable to provide an alternative form of proof of identification, to cast a provisional ballot; the provisional voter will then have to personally appear before the county clerk not later than the close of business, the Friday immediately following a primary or an election, and provide either photo proof of identification, or provide an alternative identification with an affirmation affirming the reasonable impediment that precluded the voter from obtaining photo proof of identification; describe process to ensure a provisional voter's ballot is valid and counted; amend KRS 117.077 to remove provisional mail-in absentee voting and revert back to regular mail-in absentee voting with photo ID and affirmation requirements; amend KRS 117.085 to allow for in-person provisional absentee voting to conform to the same ID and affirmation requirements to those voters who vote on a primary or an election; amend KRS 117.086 to revert to regular mail-in absentee voting with photo ID and not provisional mail-in voting; amend KRS 117.087 to state that provisional in-person absentee voting shall be processed in accordance with those provisional votes cast on the day of a primary or an election; require affirmations that are returned with mail-in ballots to be verified for regularity; amend KRS 117.145 to remove requirements concerning provisional voting for mail-in absentee ballots; amend KRS 117.187 to require the county board of elections to include training on provisional absentee voting; amend KRS 117.275 to include retention of ballot affirmations; include ballot affirmations to be included as part of the public review when ballots are counted; amend KRS 117.305 to move the date for certification of votes for a special election from the day following a special election to the Tuesday following; amend KRS 117.383 to ensure provisional voting is conducted in accordance with HAVA; amend KRS 118.425 to move the date for certification of votes for any primary or an election from the Friday following an election to the Monday following an election; amend KRS 186.531 to remove the requirement of eligibility to vote in order to receive a free standard personal identification card; amend various sections of to conform; technical corrections.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 10, 2020 - taken from State & Local Government (S); 1st reading; returned to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 13, 2020 - taken from State & Local Government (S); 2nd reading; returned to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 23, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 23, 2020; 3rd reading, passed 29-9 with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 24, 2020 - received in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

SB3 (BR1159)/LM - C. McDaniel, D. Thayer, R. Alvarado, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, R. Mills, M. Wilson

AN ACT proposing to amend Section 95 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to the election of state officers.

Propose to amend Section 95 of the Constitution of Kentucky to hold the election of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Treasurer, Auditor of Public Accounts, Attorney General, Secretary of State, and Commissioner of Agriculture, Labor and Statistics in even-numbered years, every four years, beginning in 2028; provide transitional calendar; submit to the voters for ratification or rejection. Provide ballot language.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 10, 2020 - taken from State & Local Government (S); 1st reading; returned to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 13, 2020 - taken from State & Local Government (S); 2nd reading; returned to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules
Jan 16, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 16, 2020; 3rd reading, passed 31-3
Jan 17, 2020 - received in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

SB4 (BR184) - J. Higdon, E. Harris, R. Stivers II

AN ACT relating to transportation and making an appropriation therefor.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 174 to establish the Kentucky Transportations Board; set forth membership, appointment, qualifications, and duties; outline board duties in relation to nomination and employment of the Transportation Cabinet secretary; require the board to establish a statewide prioritization process for the use of funds apportioned pursuant to 23 U.S.C. sec. 104, with some exceptions; identify 5 factors that form the basis for the objective scoring: congestion mitigation, economic development, accessibility. safety, and asset management; allow the board to weight factors differently in each highway district; require the board to develop the biennial highway construction plan and six-year road plan; require advanced publication of recommended projects for the biennial highway construction plan and six-year road plan scored under the objective system, along with data regarding the scoring process; require advanced publication of bridge and pavement maintenance projects recommended for inclusion in the biennial highway construction plan and six-year road plan; amend KRS 176.430 to require the board to develop the biennial highway construction plan and six-year road plan; require the Department of Highways to notify the General Assembly, through the LRC, of any projects in the biennial highway construction plan which the department will not undertake in the year prescribed in the plan; amend KRS 48.110 to require the board to approve the biennial highway construction plan and six-year road plan before the Governor can submit the plan to the General Assembly; amend KRS 176.050 to require the Department of Highways to issue an annual list of bridge and pavement improvement needs, prioritized by safety and state of disrepair, from which the board will select projects for inclusion in the biennial highway construction plan and six-year road plan; amend KRS 45.247 to require that at the end of each fiscal year, any moneys in the highway construction contingency account in excess of 10% of the amount appropriated to that fund for that fiscal year will lapse to the state construction account; amend KRS 174.020 to attach the Kentucky Transportation Board to the Transportation Cabinet Office of the Secretary for administrative purposes; set forth staggered terms for initial appointments to the board.

SB4 - AMENDMENTS

SCS1 - Retain original provisions with the following exception; require that at all times three board members must come from the recommended appointments of each of the three appointing entities; clarify procedures to fill vacancies to conform; place language for staggered initial board terms into codified law; mandate that no more than two members of the board reside in the same congressional district; clarify that members of the board are subject to the Executive Branch Code of ethics; amend KRS 11A.010 to conform; clarify that the board chair and vice chair serve two year terms; set forth minimum statutory qualifications for the Transportation Cabinet Secretary; clarify the nominating procedures the that position; eliminate amendments to KRS 45.247, regarding the highway construction contingency account; amend KRS 174.020 and 176.020 to clarify that all unclassified employees of the Transportation Cabinet, except for the secretary, shall be appointed by the secretary instead of the Governor; amend KRS 63.080 to clarify that the board alone has the power to terminate the employment of the Transportation Cabinet Secretary; add noncodified language to require the appointment process for board members to begin within 10 days of the effective date of the Act; require the board, at its first meeting, to begin the process of the selection of capitates for the position of Transportation Cabinet Secretary; mandate the Transportation Cabinet Secretary in office on the effective date of the Act remain in office until a new secretary is confirmed by the Senate.
SFA1(G. Neal) - Eliminate board authority to terminate the employment of the Transportation Cabinet Secretary.
SFA2(G. Neal) - Require board membership to reflect gender and racial diversity.
SFA3(G. Neal) - Eliminate board authority to terminate the employment of the Transportation Cabinet secretary.
SFA4(J. Higdon) - Make technical corrections to conform.

Nov 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Transportation (S)
Jan 10, 2020 - taken from Transportation (S); 1st reading; returned to Transportation (S)
Jan 13, 2020 - taken from Transportation (S); 2nd reading; returned to Transportation (S)
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules with Committee Substitute (1); floor amendments (1) and (2) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 13, 2020 - floor amendment (3) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 14, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 18, 2020; floor amendment (4) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 18, 2020 - passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day
Feb 19, 2020 - passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day

SB5 (BR907)/LM - R. Alvarado, R. Mills, J. Schickel, D. Thayer

AN ACT relating to special purpose governmental entities.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 65A to require proposed increases in ad valorem taxes and certain fees and the levy of new ad valorem taxes or fees by special purpose governmental entities to be submitted to the legislative body of the county or city in which the special purpose governmental entity is located for review; amend various sections of the Kentucky Revised Statutes to conform; repeal KRS 65A.100; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

SB5 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1/LM - Create a new section of KRS Chapter 65A to require proposed increases in ad valorem taxes and certain fees and the levy of new ad valorem taxes or fees by special purpose governmental entities to be submitted to the legislative body of the county or city in which the special purpose governmental entity is located for review; exclude air boards and KRS Chapter 75 fire districts located in a consolidated local government from requirements; amend various sections of the Kentucky Revised Statutes to conform; repeal KRS 65A.100; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 10, 2020 - taken from State & Local Government (S); 1st reading; returned to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 13, 2020 - taken from State & Local Government (S); 2nd reading; returned to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 23, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 23, 2020; 3rd reading, passed 28-10 with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 24, 2020 - received in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

SB6 (BR1037)/AA - D. Thayer, R. Alvarado, D. Carroll, C. Embry Jr., J. Higdon, S. Meredith, R. Mills, W. Schroder, M. Wilson, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to the Legislators' Retirement Plan and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 6.525 to provide that non-legislative compensation earned in another state-administered retirement system on or after July 1, 2020, shall not be used to calculate benefits in the Legislators' Retirement Plan; EMERGENCY.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - taken from Committee on Committees (S); 1st reading; returned to Committee on Committees (S); to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 16, 2020 - taken from State & Local Government (S); 2nd reading; returned to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 29, 2020; 3rd reading, passed 35-0-2
Jan 30, 2020 - received in House
Feb 03, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Feb 04, 2020 - posted in committee

SB7 (BR1114) - J. Schickel, R. Alvarado, D. Carroll, D. Givens, P. Hornback, S. Meredith, R. Mills, R. Stivers II, D. Thayer, S. West, M. Wilson, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to school councils.
Amend KRS 160.345 to allow a local board to require an annual report of activities from a school council; reduce the minimum number of teachers serving on the council to two; specify that a council decision is appealable to the local board; require the local board of education to adopt a policy allowing the board to initiate review of a school council decision; specify the alignment of council policy with local board policy; allow a teacher to be transferred while serving on the school council; specify that local board members may attend council meetings; permit a superintendent to forward qualified applicants to the principal instead of the council; alter principal hiring process requiring principal to be selected by the superintendent after consultation with school council; require school council authority to be transferred to the superintendent if a school is identified for comprehensive support and improvement; make technical corrections; amend to conform.

SB7 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Retain original provisions; establish membership of council as 3 parents, 3 teachers, and the principal; restore language relating to employee transfers; restore language relating to submitting applications to the council; differentiate between a standard principal selection process and a selection process for county school districts in a county with a consolidated local government; restore language relating to a process for appealing school council decisions.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - taken from Committee on Committees (S); 1st reading; returned to Committee on Committees (S); to State & Local Government (S)
Jan 16, 2020 - taken from State & Local Government (S); 2nd reading; returned to State & Local Government (S)
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 06, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020; 3rd reading, passed 20-15 with Committee Substitute (1); received in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Education (H)

SB8 (BR363) - M. Wise, T. Buford, R. Alvarado, D. Carroll, C. Embry Jr., D. Givens, S. Humphries, R. Mills, D. Thayer, J. Turner, S. West, M. Wilson

AN ACT relating to school safety and declaring an emergency.
amend KRS 158.441 to clarify the definition of "school resource officer"; amend KRS 158.4412 to allow the superintendent to specify any individual to serve as the district's school safety coordinator; amend KRS 158.4414 to clarify which facilities are required to have school resource officers and to require that school resource officers are armed with a firearm; amend KRS 158.4416 to specify that the goal is to have at least one school counselor per public school and to have at least one school counselor or school-based mental health services provider for every 250 students; amend KRS 61.902 to specify that the commission of a special law enforcement officer employed as a school resource officer shall be for four years; amend KRS 156.095 to specify that the Kentucky Department of Criminal Justice Training is to prepare an active shooter training video in consultation with the Department of Education; amend KRS 158.162 to include exceptions to locked classroom doors; amend KRS 508.078 to clarify when a person is guilty of terroristic threatening; amend KRS 16.128, 1.315, 70.062, and 95.970 to conform.

SB8 - AMENDMENTS
SFA1(G. Neal) - Amend to remove the requirement that SROs carry firearms; allow SROs to carry firearms at the discretion of the local board of education.
HFA1(M. Marzian) - Amend to remove the requirement that SROs carry firearms.
HFA2(J. Donohue) - Amend KRS 158.4414 to require school resource officers to be equipped with a body-worn camera.
HFA3(J. Donohue) - Amend KRS 158.4414 to remove the requirement that a school resource officer be armed with a firearm; allow a school resource officer to be armed with a firearm, conducted energy weapon, or other weapon; require school resource officers to be equipped with a body-worn camera.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - taken from Committee on Committees (S); 1st reading; returned to Committee on Committees (S); to Education (S)
Jan 16, 2020 - taken from Education (S); 2nd reading; returned to Education (S)
Jan 23, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules; floor amendment (1) filed
Jan 24, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Monday, January, 27, 2020
Jan 27, 2020 - 3rd reading; floor amendment (1) defeated; passed 34-1; received in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Education (H)
Jan 30, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar; floor amendments (1), (2) and (3) filed
Feb 05, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 07, 2020 - 3rd reading; floor amendments (2) and (3) defeated; passed 78-8
Feb 10, 2020 - received in Senate; enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; delivered to Governor

SB9 (BR21)/CI/LM - W. Westerfield, D. Thayer, R. Alvarado, D. Carroll, M. Castlen, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, J. Higdon, S. Humphries, S. Meredith, R. Mills, D. Parrett, A. Robinson, J. Schickel, J. Turner, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to the protection of born-alive infants and declaring an emergency.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 311 to prohibit a person from denying or depriving a born-alive infant of nourishment with the intent to cause or allow the death of the infant; prohibit a person from denying or depriving a born-alive infant of medically appropriate and reasonable medical care, medical treatment, or surgical care; require a physician performing an abortion to take all medically appropriate and reasonable steps to preserve the life and health of a born-alive infant; specify that if the physician is unable to perform those duties then an attending physician assistant, advanced practice registered nurse, nurse, or other healthcare worker shall assume the duties; provide that a born-alive infant shall be treated as a legal person under the laws of the Commonwealth; specify that any born-alive infant, whose parents file a petition for voluntary termination of parental rights, shall become a ward of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; prohibit any person from performing scientific research on a born-alive infant; specify that this section shall not be construed as preventing a born-alive infant's parent or guardian from refusing medical care that is not medically appropriate or reasonable; specify that the parent or guardian of a born-alive infant shall not be held criminally or civilly liable for the actions of a physician, physician assistant, advanced practice registered nurse, or other healthcare provider that acted without his or her consent; provide for civil and administrative penalties for violations of this Act; allow for severability; allow the General Assembly by joint resolution to appoint members to intervene as a matter or right in any case that challenges the constitutionality of this Act; amend KRS 311.595, 311.850, 314.091, and 315.121 to suspend or revoke the license of any physician, physician assistant, advanced practice registered nurse, nurse, or pharmacist who violates this Act; amend KRS 311.990 to establish criminal penalties for violations; establish the short title of "Born-Alive Infant Protection Act"; EMERGENCY.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - taken from Committee on Committees (S); 1st reading; returned to Committee on Committees (S); to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)
Jan 16, 2020 - taken from Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S); 2nd reading; returned to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)
Jan 23, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules
Jan 24, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Monday, January, 27, 2020
Jan 27, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 32-0; received in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

SB11 (BR94)/CI/LM - J. Schickel, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler

AN ACT relating to criminal damage to rental property.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 512 to specify that a tenant who, having no right to do so or any reasonable ground to believe that he or she has such right, intentionally or wantonly defaces, destroys, or damages residential rental property is to be charged with violating KRS 512.020, 512.030, or 512.040 as appropriate.

SB11 - AMENDMENTS
SCA1(J. Schickel) - Delete language requiring that violators be charged and substitute with language making the charging of violators permissive.

Jun 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)
Jan 14, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with committee amendment (1)
Jan 15, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 16, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 16, 2020; 3rd reading, passed 29-5 with committee amendment (1)
Jan 17, 2020 - received in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee

SB12 (BR98) - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to insurance policy renewals.
Amend KRS 304.20-035 to require property and casualty insurers to notify insureds of changes in the terms and conditions offered in a renewal policy.

Dec 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (S)

SB13 (BR132)/FN/LM - R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to wages.
Amend KRS 337.010 to increase the applicable threshold of employees of retail stores and service industries from $95,000 to $500,000 average annual gross volume of sales for the employer; amend KRS 337.275 to raise the state minimum wage to $8.20 per hour on July 1, 2020, $9.15 per hour on July 1, 2021, $10.10 per hour on July 1, 2022, $11 per hour on July 1, 2023, $12.05 per hour on July 1, 2024, $13.10 per hour on July 1, 2025, $13.95 per hour on July 1, 2026, and $15 per hour on July 1, 2027, and to raise the state minimum wage for tipped employees to $2.13 per hour on the effective date of the Act, $3.05 per hour on July 1, 2021, $3.95 per hour on July 1, 2022, and $4.90 per hour on July 1, 2023; include anti-preemption language permitting local governments to establish minimum wage ordinances in excess of the state minimum wage.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB14 (BR117) - C. Embry Jr.

AN ACT relating to the taxation of pension income.
Amend KRS 141.019 to increase the pension income exclusion from $31,110 to $41,110.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB15 (BR12) - W. Westerfield, D. Thayer, J. Adams, R. Girdler, D. Harper Angel, R. Thomas

AN ACT proposing to create a new section of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to crime victims' rights.
Propose to create a new section of the Constitution of Kentucky to established a crime victims' bill of rights; submit to voters.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)
Feb 19, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

SB16 (BR118)/LM - C. Embry Jr.

AN ACT relating to solid waste.
Amend KRS 224.40-310 to modify the definition of "waste disposal facility" to specify that all residual landfills are included in the process of local determination and remove the exception for private facilities that dispose of waste on their own private property; amend KRS 224.40-315 to remove the exception for private facilities that dispose of their own waste on their own property from the requirements to obtain approval from local governing body when a municipal solid waste disposal facility seeks to expand or construct a facility.

Sep 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (S)

SB17 (BR119)/CI/LM - C. Embry Jr.

AN ACT relating to road safety.
Amend KRS 512.070 to include, as criminal littering, permitting unsafe amounts of leaves or mowed grass to remain on a highway.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SB18 (BR141)/LM - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to absentee voting.
Amend KRS 117.085 to include essential service personnel as an eligible class of persons who may request and cast an in-person or mail-in absentee ballot; define "essential service personnel"; make technical corrections.

Dec 03, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB19 (BR176)/CI/LM - D. Carroll, C. Embry Jr.

AN ACT relating to road safety.
Amend KRS 512.070 to include, as criminal littering, permitting unsafe amounts of mowed grass to remain on a highway.

Jul 22, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SB20 (BR182) - D. Carroll

AN ACT relating to assisted-living communities.
Create a new section of KRS 194A.700 to 194A.729 to prohibit certification or certification renewal of an assisted-living community if it is owned, managed, or operated by any person convicted of certain crimes or listed on an abuse list; exempt owner of an assisted-living facility certified as of July 1, 2020; amend KRS 194A.700 to amend definitions; amend KRS 194A.707 to make changes to the appeals and renewal processes; amend KRS 194A.717 to prohibit on-site staff person from being shared with another level of care; amend KRS 194A.723 to permit the cabinet to initiate injunctive relief in Circuit Court.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 16, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 22, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 38-0; received in House
Jan 24, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

SB21 (BR205) - C. Embry Jr.

AN ACT relating to veterinarians.
Creates a new section of KRS Chapter 321 to require that a veterinarian report abuse and to allow immunity for a good faith report; amends KRS 321.185 to allow veterinarians to release information in order to report abuse.

SB21 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Retain original provisions; allow veterinarians to report the abuse of animals under their care instead of to require them to report the abuse; specify the statutes under which the abuse must occur to be reportable.
SFA1(R. Webb) - Delete provisions for immunity for reporting of abuse outside of a written release from client, a court order or subpoena.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 05, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 19, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute

SB22 (BR206)/LM - C. Embry Jr.

AN ACT relating to solid waste.
Amend KRS KRS 68.178 to delete incidental or residual waste facilities from the exclusion in the description of waste management facilities; allow fiscal courts to license solid waste landfills and residual landfills and assess increased fees for accepting wastes outside of the waste planning area; amend KRS 224.40-315 to delete the exclusions from the definition of "municipal solid waste disposal facility."

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (S)

SB23 (BR222) - P. Wheeler

AN ACT relating to insulin assistance and making an appropriation therefor.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 315 to define terms; establish the insulin assistance program; establish the process by which individuals may qualify for the program; establish the process by which pharmacies may voluntarily participate in the program; establish an insulin product fee; establish reporting requirements; establish the insulin assistance fund; authorize the Kentucky Board of Pharmacy to promulgate administrative regulations necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act; APPROPRIATION.

Dec 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

SB24 (BR236)/AA/CI/LM - J. Carroll, D. Harper Angel, R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to sports wagering and making an appropriation therefor.
Establish KRS Chapter 239 and create new sections to define "amateur athletics," "collegiate sports contest," "commission," "principal," "professional sports contest," "sports wager," and "sports wagering"; create the Kentucky Gaming Commission; establish membership to be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate; establish the commission's responsibilities and authority; require the Governor to appoint an executive director and establish the executive director's responsibilities; require the commission to promulgate administrative regulations relating to sports wagering conducted by the Kentucky Lottery Corporation, racing associations licensed under KRS Chapter 230, and other locations; establish licensing fees; prohibit persons from wagering on an event in which they are a participant; establish the sports wagering distribution trust fund and the uses of the fund; establish penalties for tampering with the outcome of a sporting event and wagering on a sporting event by a participant; create a new section of KRS Chapter 138 to impose an excise tax on sports wagering at 25 percent of net

sports wagering receipts; amend KRS 138.1817 to permit the Department of Revenue to work with the commission to restrict licensure in the event that sports wagering taxes are not paid; amend KRS 154A.010 to revise the definition of "amateur sports contest," and to define "collegiate sports contest," "professional sports contest," "sports wager," and "sports wagering"; amend KRS 154A.030 to conform and to prohibit the director or family member from being a part owner of a professional team or a board member of a college or university that engages in collegiate sports upon which sports wagers may be placed; amend KRS 154A.050 to include sports wagering; amend KRS 154A.060 to include sports wagering and to include contracts for the purchase of goods and services necessary for sports wagering; require monthly and annual reports to be submitted to the Kentucky Gaming Commission; amend KRS 154A.063 to permit sports wagering on collegiate and professional sports contests; amend KRS 154A.065 to prohibit accepting sports wagers on the outcomes of contests involving horses; amend KRS 154A.070 to include sports wagering and require contracts to be in accord with administrative regulations of the Lottery Corporation and the Kentucky Gaming Commission; amend KRS 154A.090 to stipulate that sports wagering retailers aggrieved by a decision of the board may appeal to the Kentucky Gaming Commission; amend KRS 154A.110 to include sports wagering; stipulate that unclaimed sports wagering prize money be added to the sports wagering distribution trust fund; to prohibit sports wagers from being accepted from members or coaches of professional or collegiate team; amend 154A.120 to include sports wagering; amend KRS 154A.130 to specify net sports wagering receipts collected by lottery to be used for expenses and moneys in excess of expenses shall be dedicated to the sports wagering distribution trust fund; amend KRS 154A.400 to include sports wagering and stipulate the criteria for selecting sports wagering retailers shall be developed in consultation with the Kentucky Gaming Commission; amend KRS 154A.420 to include sports wagering and permit the Lottery Corporation to require a retailer to establish separate sports wagering electronic funds transfer accounts; amend KRS 154A.430, 154A.440, 154A.600, and 154A.650 to include sports wagering; amend KRS 230.225 to permit the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission to oversee sports wagering at licensed racing associations; amend KRS 230.370 to require administrative regulations relating to sports wagering to be developed in consultation with the Kentucky Gaming Commission; amend KRS 243.500 to exempt the conduct of sports wagering licensed or permitted under KRS Chapter 239; amend KRS 12.020 to administratively attach the Kentucky Gaming Commission to the Public Protection Cabinet.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

SB25 (BR1490) - D. Thayer

AN ACT relating to reorganization.
Amend KRS 12.023 to remove the Agricultural Development Board and the Kentucky Agricultural Finance Corporation from the Office of the Governor; amend KRS 12.020 to attach the Agricultural Development Board and the Kentucky Agricultural Finance Corporation to the Department of Agriculture; amend KRS 247.944 to attach the Kentucky Agricultural Finance Corporation to the Department of Agriculture; allow staff services for the board to be provided by the Department of Agriculture; authorize the Commissioner of Agriculture or his or her designee to serve as executive director of the Agricultural Finance Corporation Board; amend KRS 248.707 to authorize the Commissioner of Agriculture to serve as chair of the Agricultural Development Board; authorize the Governor to serve as vice chair of the Agricultural Development Board; attach the Agricultural Development Board to the Department of Agriculture; allow staff services for the board to be provided by the Department of Agriculture; amend KRS 248.709 to provide that the Commissioner of Agriculture or his or her designee shall serve as director of the Agricultural Development Board; amend KRS 260.860 to conform; repeal KRS 248.480, relating to the Kentucky Tobacco Settlement Trust Corporation; transfer affairs associated with the Governor's Office of Agricultural Policy, Agricultural Development Board, and the Kentucky Agricultural Finance Corporation to the Department of Agriculture.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 31, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)

SB26 (BR257) - D. Carroll

AN ACT relating to employees of quasi-governmental agencies.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 18A to allow state hiring preference for employees of quasi-governmental agencies ceasing participation in the Kentucky Retirement Systems; require an employing state agency offer an interview to all finalist entitled to preference unless five or more of the finalists are entitled to preference; require that if more than five finalists are entitled to preference, the employing state agency shall offer an interview to no fewer than five.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB27 (BR270) - J. Turner, C. Embry Jr., D. Harper Angel

AN ACT relating to mining permits and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 350 to require the Energy and Environment Cabinet to notify the Department of Workplace Standards of any applicant or permittee that may be subject to the performance bonding requirements of KRS 337.200; create a new section of KRS Chapter 337 to require the commissioner of the Department of Workplace Standards to notify the Energy and Environment Cabinet of any employer engaged in the severance, preparation, or transportation of minerals that is not compliant with the performance bonding requirements of KRS 337.200; amend KRS 350.085 to prohibit the approval of mining permit applications for applicants that are not compliant with the requirements of KRS 337.200; amend KRS 350.130 to make compliance with the requirements of KRS 337.200 a condition of a mining permit issued under KRS Chapter 350 or the administrative regulations promulgated thereunder; amend KRS 337.200 to remove references to liquidated damages and attorneys' fees as provided by law; amend KRS 337.994 to require that all penalties collected for violations of KRS 337.200 be paid to employees injured by the employer's failure to post the performance bond; APPROPRIATION.

Aug 15, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 09, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (S)

SB28 (BR274)/LM - S. Meredith, D. Carroll

AN ACT proposing to amend Sections 30 and 31 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to elections of members of the General Assembly.
Propose to amend Sections 30 and 31 of the Constitution of Kentucky to increase the number of years in a term for a Senator from four to six years and to increase the number of years in a term for a Representative from two to four years beginning with the regular election in November 2022; provide ballot language; submit to the voters for ratification or rejection.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB29 (BR275) - S. Meredith

AN ACT relating to Medicaid payments.
Amend KRS 304.17A-527 to require Medicaid managed care organizations to provide all payment schedules utilized to reimburse health care providers with whom they have maintained a contractual relationship for the previous three months to the Medicaid Oversight and Advisory Committee on a quarterly basis for the committee's review; create a new section of KRS Chapter 205 to require that services provided in rural counties be reimbursed at least at the median amount paid to an urban health care provider within the nearest metropolitan statistical area; establish a penalty that goes to the underpaid provider. .

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

SB30 (BR278) - S. Meredith, D. Carroll, R. Girdler

AN ACT relating to Medicaid managed care contracts and declaring an emergency.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 205 to limit the number of managed care organization (MCO) contracts to operate the Medicaid program to three.

SB30 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Add emergency effective date; EMERGENCY.
SCA1(S. Meredith) - Make title amendment.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 07, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Monday, February 10, 2020
Feb 10, 2020 - passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day
Feb 11, 2020 - passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day
Feb 12, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 29-7 with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 13, 2020 - received in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

SB31 (BR279)/LM - S. Meredith

AN ACT proposing to amend Sections 70, 72, 73, 74, 84, 85, 86, 87, 90, 91, and 95 and repeal Section 82 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to abolishing the Office of the Lieutenant Governor.
Propose to amend various sections of the Constitution of Kentucky to abolish the Office of the Lieutenant Governor beginning with the gubernatorial election in November 2023; to establish the President of the Senate as first in line for gubernatorial succession, or the Senate Minority Floor Leader if the Governor is of the same political party as that of the minority political party in the Senate; establish the Speaker of the House as the second in line for gubernatorial succession, or the House of Representatives' Minority Floor Leader if the Governor is of the same political party as that of the minority political party in the House of Representatives; eliminate the Attorney General's and the Auditor of Public Accounts' constitutional duties regarding gubernatorial line of succession; repeal Section 82 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to succession of Lieutenant Governor; provide ballot language; submit to the voters for ratification or rejection.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB32 (BR282)/CI/LM - G. Neal

AN ACT relating to firearm storage.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 527 to make it a crime to unlawfully store a firearm; establish elements of the crime for recklessly allowing access to

an unsecured firearm by a minor; establish the crime as a Class B misdemeanor unless a physical injury results, in which case it is a Class A misdemeanor.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)

SB33 (BR306)/HM - R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to health care services received at no-cost or reduced-cost health facilities by persons covered under a health insurance policy.
Create a new section of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to require health insurance policies not exempt from state regulation under federal law to apply the fair market value of covered health care services received by a covered person at a no-cost or reduced-cost health facility to any deductible or out-of-pocket maximum owed by the covered person under the policy; create a new section of Subtitle 17C of KRS Chapter 304 to apply those provisions to limited health service benefit plans, including limited health service contracts defined in KRS 304.38A-010; amend KRS 18A.225 to require the state employee health plan to comply; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 13, 2020 - reassigned to Banking & Insurance (S)

SB34 (BR315) - S. Meredith

AN ACT relating to copayments by medical assistance recipients.
Amend KRS 205.6312 to prohibit the cabinet or a managed care organization contracted to provide services from instituting copayments, cost sharing, or similar charges to be paid by any medical assistance recipients, their spouses, or parents, for any assistance provided pursuant KRS Chapter 205, federal law, or any federal Medicaid waiver; amend KRS 205.6485 to prohibit copayments to be charged in the Kentucky Children's Health Insurance Program.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

SB35 (BR368)/CI/LM - D. Carroll

AN ACT relating to reporting dependency, neglect, or abuse.
Amend KRS 620.030 to establish that an investigation of child dependency, neglect, or abuse shall not be conducted by school personnel or other persons before a report is made; amend KRS 620.029 to conform; and amend KRS 620.040 to conform and to establish that no investigation of child dependency, neglect, or abuse shall be conducted by school personnel or other persons before the report is made.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

SB36 (BR394) - R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to direct care staff training in dementia care.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 216 to require direct care staff and managers to receive training in dementia care.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

SB37 (BR412) - D. Parrett, M. McGarvey, R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to veteran-owned nonprofit businesses.
Amend KRS 14A.1-070 to add a nonprofit business which is at least 51 percent unconditionally controlled by a veteran to the definition of "veteran-owned business"; amend KRS 14A.2-060 and KRS 14A.2-165 to conform.

Sep 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)

SB38 (BR423) - S. Meredith

AN ACT relating to the disposition of human remains.
Amend KRS 367.93117 to allow a court-appointed guardian or conservator to determine the disposition of remains after death if other alternatives have been exhausted; permit cremation under specified circumstances.

Oct 01, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 09, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 16, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 22, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 35-2; received in House
Jan 24, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 18, 2020 - posted in committee

SB39 (BR425) - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to cost sharing under a health benefit plan.
Create a new section of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to require payments made by or on behalf of an insured for health care services, and the usual and customary rate of health care services received at a no or reduced cost health care facility, to apply toward any cost-sharing requirements under a health benefit plan; define terms; Create a new section of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to require the commissioner to promulgate administrative regulations; require the department to publish charge information. EFFECTIVE, January 1, 2021.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (S)

SB40 (BR1125) - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to child welfare.
Amend KRS 194A.062 to require front-line staff to submit to national and state fingerprint-supported background checks; amend KRS 199.8966 to define the term "staff member" and to require national and state fingerprint-supported background checks of staff members of child-placing agencies in Kentucky in addition to staff members of child-caring facilities.

SB40 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Retain original provisions; repeal KRS 199.8966 and reenact as a new section of KRS 199.640 to 199.680 to define the term "staff member" and to require national and state fingerprint-supported background checks of staff members of child-caring facilities and child-placing agencies in Kentucky.
SFA1(R. Alvarado) - Establish new language structure related to the new definition of "staff member" to make it include individuals who are employees, contract employees, self-employed, volunteers, or interns of child-caring facilities, or child-placing agencies and their direct work with children.
SFA2(W. Westerfield) - Specify that child-placing agencies are only subject to the background check requirements when background checks can be conducted electronicially under KRS 17.185.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 31, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 03, 2020 - floor amendment (2) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 06, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020; 3rd reading, passed 35-0 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendments (1) and (2); received in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 18, 2020 - posted in committee

SB41 (BR433) - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to non-compete agreements with health-care providers.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 372 to prohibit non-compete agreements for certain health-care providers.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB42 (BR435) - D. Harper Angel, J. Adams, T. Buford, D. Carroll, A. Kerr, M. McGarvey, R. Mills, G. Neal, D. Parrett, R. Thomas, J. Turner, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to student health and safety.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 158 to require any student identification badge issued to a public middle or high school student to contain the contact information for national crisis hotlines specializing in domestic violence, sexual assault, and suicide; apply the requirement to public charter schools; require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to publish recommendations for at least one national crisis hotline in each specialized area; create a new section of KRS Chapter 164 to require any student identification badge issued by a public or private postsecondary institution or other institution that offers a postsecondary degree, certificate, or license to contain the contact information for national crisis hotlines specializing in domestic assault, sexual assault, and suicide.

Oct 23, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Education (S)
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 35-1; received in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Education (H)

SB43 (BR439)/CI/LM - R. Thomas, M. McGarvey

AN ACT relating to voting.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 117 to allow in-person early voting between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. on the three Saturdays preceding any primary, regular election, or special election; amend KRS 117.087, 117.165, 117.235, 117.995, and 118.035 to conform.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB44 (BR440)/LM - R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to elections.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 117 to provide for the establishment of designated voting locations by the county board of elections in counties with a population of 90,000 or more.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB45 (BR488) - D. Carroll

AN ACT relating to child-care centers in Kentucky.
Create a new section of KRS 199.896 to 199.8996 to establish operational standards for child-care centers in Kentucky.

SB45 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Delete original provisions; establish new language to create a new section of KRS 199.896 to 199.8996 for operational standards for child-care centers in Kentucky.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st

reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 31, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Monday, February 3, 2020
Feb 03, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 34-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 04, 2020 - received in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee

SB46 (BR492) - J. Adams
Jan 07-WITHDRAWN

SB47 (BR494) - D. Carroll
Jan 16-WITHDRAWN

SB48 (BR859) - G. Neal, D. Harper Angel, M. McGarvey, R. Thomas

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 145 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to persons entitled to vote.
Propose to amend Section 145 of the Constitution of Kentucky to allow persons convicted of a felony, other than felonies designated by the General Assembly, the right to vote; submit to the voters for ratification or rejection.

Nov 06, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB49 (BR897)/LM - T. Buford

AN ACT relating to local option elections.
Amend KRS 242.020 to allow a countywide wet or dry local option election based on a petition signed by at least 500 qualified voters in a county with a population of less than 100,000 residents; exempt cities or moist territories within the county from the effect of the election.

Nov 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

SB50 (BR1095)/FN - M. Wise, R. Alvarado, D. Carroll, C. Embry Jr., J. Higdon, R. Mills, J. Turner

AN ACT relating to outpatient pharmacy benefits in the Medicaid program and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 205.647 to require the Department for Medicaid Services to establish and directly administer an outpatient pharmacy benefit program for all Medicaid beneficiaries; permit the department to contract with a third-party administrator on a fee-for-service reimbursement basis; require a third-party administrator to utilize the outpatient pharmacy benefit program established by the department; exempt outpatient pharmacy services provided by a health care facility that is registered as a covered entity pursuant to 42 U.S.C. sec. 256b from the provisions of this section; EMERGENCY; effective July 1, 2020.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 31, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 19, 2020
Feb 19, 2020 - recommitted to Health & Welfare (S)

SB51 (BR906) - R. Alvarado

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 54 of the Constitution of Kentucky.
Propose an amendment to Section 54 of the Constitution of Kentucky to allow the General Assembly the power to limit noneconomic damages for injuries resulting in death or for injuries to persons or property, and the power to provide statutes of limitation; provide for submission to the voters.

Dec 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB52 (BR909)/FN - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to the Solemn Covenant of the States to Award Prizes for Curing Diseases Interstate Compact.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 214 to enact and enter into the Solemn Covenant of the States to Award Prizes for Curing Diseases Interstate Compact with all other jurisdictions that legally join in the compact; declare the purpose of the compact; define terms; establish the Solemn Covenant of States Commission and set forth the functions of the commission.

Dec 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB53 (BR910)/LM - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to sheltered employment.
Amend KRS 337.010 to redefine "employee" to include workers in sheltered workshops whose employment begins on or after January 1, 2024; amend KRS 337.295 to require new administrative regulations concerning sheltered workshops and sheltered workshop employment; amend KRS 205.5605 to exclude referrals to sheltered employment from the definition of "covered services and supports" as of January 1, 2024.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)

SB54 (BR917)/HM - A. Kerr, D. Harper Angel, R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to coverage for medically necessary fertility preservation services.
Create a new section of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to establish that any health benefit plan issued or renewed in the Commonwealth that provides coverage for hospital, medical, or surgical expenses, shall include coverage for standard fertility preservation services when a necessary medical treatment may directly or indirectly cause iatrogenic infertility to an insured; establish language to specify that fertility preservation coverage is not required to be provided or included in any employer-sponsored health benefit plan offered by an employer to its employees if the employer is a religious organization; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Nov 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (S)

SB55 (BR947) - B. Smith

AN ACT relating to blockchain technology.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 42 to create a six-member Blockchain Technology Working Group; attach the working group to the Commonwealth Office of Technology; require the working group to examine the applicability of blockchain technology for various utility sectors and report to the Governor and the LRC by December 1 of each year.

SB55 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Retain original provisions of SB 55; add three additional ex-officio members to the Working Group representing the Kentucky Municipal Utility Association, the Kentucky electric cooperatives, and the investor-owned electric utilities.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (S)
Feb 06, 2020 - reassigned to Natural Resources & Energy (S)
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

SB56 (BR967)/LM - R. Alvarado, D. Carroll

AN ACT relating to the sale of tobacco, alternative nicotine, and vapor products and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 438.305 to change the definition of "proof of age"; amend KRS 438.310 to prohibit the sale of tobacco, alternative nicotine, or vapor products to persons under the age of 21; amend KRS 438.311 to make it unlawful for persons under 21 to buy tobacco, alternative nicotine, or vapor products; establish a fine of not less than $50 nor more than $500 for a person over the age of 18 who violates the age restrictions for purchasing or receiving tobacco, alternative nicotine, or vapor products; remove status offense designation for violations by persons under 18; remove jurisdiction of the juvenile section of the District Court for violations by persons under 18; remove references to arrest and court appearances by persons under 18; amend KRS 438.313 to prohibit the wholesale, retail, or manufacturer distribution of tobacco or vapor products to persons under 21; remove references to arrest and court appearances for persons under 18; amend KRS 438.315 to raise the minimum age for vending machine sales of tobacco, alternative nicotine, or vapor products to 21; remove references to arrest and court appearances for persons under 18; amend KRS 438.325 to establish 21 as the age limit regarding tobacco, alternative nicotine, or vapor product retail notifications; amend KRS 438.330 to set tobacco, alternative nicotine, and vapor product enforcement standards so that they relate to persons under the age of 21; amend KRS 438.350 regarding possession of tobacco, alternative nicotine, or vapor products by a person under age 21; amend KRS 600.020 to remove tobacco offenses from the definition of "status offense action"; amend 610.010 to remove tobacco related offenses as provided in KRS 438.305 to 438.340 from the jurisdiction of the juvenile section of the District Court; amend 630.020 to remove tobacco related offenses as provided in KRS 438.305 to 438.340 from the jurisdiction of the juvenile section of the District Court; amend 630.120 to remove the reference to child tobacco offenses under KRS 438.305 to 438.340; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

SB56 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1/LM - Retain original provisions; make technical correction; change definition of "tobacco product" to include any product made or derived from tobacco that is intended for human consumption; change definition of "vapor product" to include any device deemed to be an electronic nicotine delivery system by the United States Food and Drug Administration; remove the penalty for a person over the age of 18 for purchasing tobacco, alternative nicotine, or vapor products; amend KRS 438.337 to conform.
SFA1(R. Alvarado) - Restore existing language to prohibit the arrest of a child for violation of KRS 438.313 or 438.315; allow for the confiscation of a tobacco product, alternative nicotine product, or vapor product from a person under the age of 21 who violates KRS 438.311, but prohibit any other penalty from being applied; restore existing language prohibiting the commitment of a child for a tobacco offense under KRS 438.305 to 438.340; remove the delayed effective date; EMERGENCY.
SFA2(R. Alvarado) - Make title amendment.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 16, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute, floor amendment (2-title) filed
Jan 23, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 23, 2020; 3rd reading, passed 28-10 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendments (1) and (2-title)
Jan 24, 2020 - received in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

SB57 (BR1148) - D. Carroll

AN ACT relating to public school building renovations and declaring an emergency.

Amend KRS 162.062 to remove the applicability to plans for the renovation of existing public school buildings.

SB57 - AMENDMENTS

SCS1 - Amend KRS 162.062 to remove the applicability to plans for the renovation of existing public school buildings, EMERGENCY.

SCA1(M. Wise) - Make title amendment.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Education (S)
Jan 23, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar with Committee Substitute and committee amendment (1-title)
Jan 24, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 27, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, January 28, 2020
Jan 28, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 35-0 with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Jan 29, 2020 - received in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to Education (H)

SB58 (BR1055) - C. McDaniel

AN ACT proposing to amend Sections 77 and 240 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to limiting the Governor's ability to grant pardons and commute sentences.

Propose to amend Section 77 of the Constitution of Kentucky by prohibiting the Governor's ability to grant pardons or commute sentences beginning 30 days prior to a gubernatorial election and ending at that gubernatorial inauguration; amend Section 240 of the Constitution of Kentucky to conform; submit to voters.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)
Feb 19, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

SB59 (BR953) - A. Kerr
Jan 09-WITHDRAWN

SB60 (BR232) - J. Higdon

AN ACT relating to newborn screening for spinal muscular atrophy (SMA).

Amend KRS 214.155 to add spinal muscular atrophy to the list of heritable conditions tested at birth.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 31, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Monday, February 3, 2020
Feb 03, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 34-0
Feb 04, 2020 - received in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

SB61 (BR65)/HM - J. Higdon, D. Parrett, P. Wheeler

AN ACT relating to coverage for Lyme disease.

Create a new section of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to require health benefit plan coverage of long-term antibiotic therapy for covered persons with Lyme disease under certain circumstances; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (S)

SB62 (BR812) - J. Higdon

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 145 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to voting rights.

Propose to amend Section 145 of the Constitution of Kentucky to grant persons convicted of a felony other than a sex offense, a violent offense, or an offense against a child, the right to vote five years after completion of sentence; submit to the voters for ratification or rejection.

SB62 - AMENDMENTS

SCS1 - Propose to amend Section 145 of the Constitution of Kentucky to allow persons convicted of certain felonies the right to vote as provided by the General Assembly; submit to voters with question.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)
Feb 19, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)

SB63 (BR256) - J. Higdon, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to high school programs.

Amend KRS 158.100 to include virtual high school completion programs, give local board authority to establish program, identify the purpose of such programs, outline enrollment eligibility requirements, identify graduation requirements for enrollees of the program, authorize schools to charge students tuition and fees for the program, require that an enrollee in the program be at least 21 years old, establish school requirements for eligibility, and allow a district to choose between requiring completion of graduation requirements at the time of drop out or the requirements in place currently.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Education (S)
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 04, 2020 - passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day
Feb 05, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 38-0; received in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Education (H)
Feb 13, 2020 - posted in committee

SB64 (BR950) - R. Girdler

AN ACT relating to indemnification of prosecutors.

Amend KRS 15.753 to provide that the Finance and Administration Cabinet shall reimburse the Attorney General, a Commonwealth's attorney, or a county attorney for fees or judgments after being sued for an act or omission in the course of his or her duties.

SB64 - AMENDMENTS

SFA1(W. Westerfield) - Delete original provisions; amend KRS 15.753 to provide that a prosecutor shall be indemnified by the Finance and Administration Cabinet for financial loss after being sued for an act or omission in the course of official duties.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 27, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, January 28, 2020; floor amendment (1) filed
Jan 28, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 35-0 with floor amendment (1)
Jan 29, 2020 - received in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Feb 07, 2020 - posted in committee

SB65 (BR388) - R. Webb

AN ACT relating to the use of hemp-derived products by employees.

Amend KRS 344.010 to define "hemp" and "hemp-derived products"; amend KRS 344.040 to provide protections against employment-related discrimination for users of hemp-derived products.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

SB66 (BR201)/LM - R. Mills

AN ACT relating to the disposition of a decedent's body.

Amend KRS 367.93117 and 367.93121 to provide that a person who has been criminally charged in the death of another cannot make decisions regarding the disposition of the decedent's remains.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 09, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 22, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 37-1; received in House
Jan 24, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

SB67 (BR226) - G. Neal, R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to health disparity impacts.

Create new sections of KRS Chapters 6 to define health disparity impact, assessment, and review; require a health disparity impact review be completed for any bill, amendment, or committee substitute where need is indicated; require the review to be completed by the Department for Public Health before a vote is taken; permit the majority of the committee members present to request a health disparity impact assessment; amend KRS 13A.240 to require a statement of a health disparity impact for administrative regulations or amendments of administrative regulations.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

SB68 (BR1033) - D. Harper Angel

AN ACT relating to plastic waste.

Amend KRS 224.50-585 to establish definitions; establish a ban on plastic, single-use carryout bags by July 1, 2025; establish a ban the provision of single-use plastic straws and Styrofoam food and beverage containers by retail food and beverage establishments by July 1, 2023; establish civil penalty of $100 per day for violation of bans.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (S)

SB69 (BR1089)/HM - P. Wheeler, R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to prescription insulin.

Amend KRS 304.17A-148 to cap the cost-sharing requirements for prescription insulin at $100 per 30-day supply; amend KRS 18A.225 to require the state employee health plan to comply; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (S)

SB70 (BR38) - W. Westerfield

AN ACT relating to unfair trade practices in the negotiation and offer of contracts for the provision of health care services and declaring an emergency.

Create a new section of Subtitle 12 of KRS Chapter 304 to prohibit certain practices by insurers in the negotiation and offer of contracts for the provision of health care services; establish penalties for violation of section; amend KRS 205.532 to require Medicaid managed care organizations to comply with new section; amend KRS 304.17A-700 to conform; EMERGENCY.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (S)

SB71 (BR419) - D. Parrett

AN ACT relating to redistricting.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 5 to define terms; establish the Kentucky Committee on Legislative Redistricting, which shall be composed of state university faculty appointed by presidents of Kentucky's state universities; require the Kentucky Committee on Legislative Redistricting to develop redistricting plans for state legislative and United States congressional districts; require the Kentucky Committee on Legislative Redistricting to submit the redistricting plans to the Legislative Research Commission, which shall refer the plans to the Interim Joint Committee on State Government; allow the General Assembly to enact or reject the

redistricting plans, but not to alter or amend them; provide that if the General Assembly does not enact the plans, the plans shall be returned to the Kentucky Committee on Legislative Redistricting, which may incorporate changes requested by the General Assembly, but shall not be required to incorporate changes; require the Kentucky Committee on Legislative Redistricting to submit to the General Assembly new redistricting plans, which the General Assembly shall enact but not alter or amend; change the filing deadline for the primary for the year following the committee's submission of redistricting legislation to seven calendar days following enactment of the redistricting legislation by the General Assembly or the statutory deadline, whichever is later.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB72 (BR104) - J. Adams, W. Westerfield, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, D. Carroll, R. Girdler, D. Harper Angel, P. Hornback, A. Kerr, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith, G. Neal

AN ACT relating to female genital mutilation.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 508 to define "female genital mutilation" and create the Class B felony of female genital mutilation; create a new section of KRS Chapter 211 to require the Department for Public Health in the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to develop, produce, and disseminate educational materials related to female genital mutilation; amend KRS 15.334 to require law enforcement training on female genital mutilation; amend KRS 311.595 to require a conviction of female genital mutilation to result in mandatory revocation of a physician's license; create a new section of KRS Chapter 413 to permit civil action for female genital mutilation for ten years; amend KRS 620.020 to include female genital mutilation in the definition of "abused or neglected child"; amend KRS 620.030 to provide that if a person knows or has reasonable cause to believe that a child is a victim of female genital mutilation, then that person shall immediately make an oral or written report to the appropriate authorities; create a new section of KRS Chapter 620 to require a report on female genital mutilation reports to the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; EMERGENCY.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 16, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 22, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 38-0; received in House
Jan 24, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

SB73 (BR915) - T. Buford, D. Harper Angel

AN ACT relating to animal fighting.
Amend KRS 525.130, relating to cruelty to animals, to provide that the fine for causing animals to fight shall be $5,000.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)

SB74 (BR932)/LM - W. Westerfield

AN ACT relating to driving under the influence.
Amend KRS 189A.105 to remove the restriction that a judge can only issue a search warrant for a blood or urine test when a defendant has been charged with driving under the influence and a person has been killed or suffered physical injury.

SB74 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1/LM - Make technical correction to conform.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 09, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 27, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, January 28, 2020
Jan 28, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 31-4 with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 29, 2020 - received in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Feb 07, 2020 - posted in committee

SB75 (BR1300)/CI/LM - P. Wheeler, S. West, R. Girdler, A. Robinson, B. Smith, J. Turner

AN ACT relating to off-highway vehicles and making an appropriation therefor.
Amend KRS 186.010 to define "off-highway vehicles" or "OHV"; consider an OHV to be a motor vehicle for registration purposes; amend KRS 186.050 to establish an annual registration fee for resident OHVs and a $30 fee for nonresident OHV registration; allow the clerk to retain $5 for nonresident OHV registration; create new sections of KRS Chapter 189 to allow for the operation of OHVs on a county roadways and state roadways identified by the Transportation Cabinet and the Kentucky Mountain Regional Recreational Authority; prohibit OHV operation on any fully controlled access highway; allow a local government to prohibit OHV use on county roadways under its jurisdiction; establish OHV operation requirements; require the Transportation Cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations; establish exemptions; allow a nonresident OHV permit to be valid for six months; require the Transportation Cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations; amend KRS 189.517 to comply; amend KRS 189.990 to establish that operating an OHV in violation of Sections 3 and 4 of this Act shall be a Class B misdemeanor.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 06, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SB76 (BR416) - B. Smith

AN ACT relating to providing an individual income tax credit for stillbirths.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to establish a nonrefundable, nontransferable individual income tax credit related to stillbirths for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2020, but before January 1, 2024; require reporting by the Department of Revenue; amend KRS 141.0205 to order the credit; amend KRS 131.190 to allow reporting.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB77 (BR1203) - A. Kerr, R. Girdler, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, D. Harper Angel

AN ACT relating to child abuse education.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 158 requiring each public school to provide developmentally appropriate instruction on child abuse and child sexual abuse to students in all grades; require the Department of Education to develop child abuse and child sexual abuse instructional resources for use by schools; cite the Act as Jenna Quinn's Law.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Education (S)

SB78 (BR1188) - S. Meredith, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, D. Carroll, D. Harper Angel, M. McGarvey, R. Mills, B. Smith, R. Thomas, P. Wheeler

AN ACT relating to the operation of bicycles.
Amend KRS 189.287 to direct the Transportation Cabinet to include a requirement for bicycle helmets for operators and passengers under the age of 12 in the bicycle standards and safety administrative regulations promulgated under this section; amend KRS 189.990 to conform.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SB79 (BR210) - J. Adams

AN ACT relating to school background checks.
Amend KRS 160.380, relating to the employment of school personnel, to define "administrative findings of child abuse or neglect" to mean a substantiated finding of child abuse or neglect that is upheld on appeal or not appealed; amend the definition of "clear CA/N check" to include administrative findings instead of substantiated findings; remove the requirement that an existing school district employee self-report a substantiated finding of child abuse or neglect to the superintendent.

SB79 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Reinstate the requirement that an existing school district employee self-report a substantiated finding of child abuse or neglect to the superintendent.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 27, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, January 28, 2020
Jan 28, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 35-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 29, 2020 - received in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to Education (H)

SB80 (BR11) - W. Westerfield, D. Harper Angel

AN ACT relating to crime victims' rights.
Repeal and reenact or repeal, reenact, and amend various sections of KRS 421.500 to 421.575, the Crime Victim Bill of Rights, to change statutory definition of "victim"; require that restitution to the victim be made when possible; repeal KRS 421.540; EFFECTIVE November 3, 2020, only if voters ratify a proposed constitutional amendment providing protection of crime victims' rights.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB81 (BR345) - M. Castlen, D. Carroll, R. Alvarado, J. Carpenter, C. Embry Jr., D. Givens, P. Hornback, S. Humphries, C. McDaniel, S. Meredith, R. Mills, D. Parrett, J. Schickel, S. West, W. Westerfield, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to milk marketing.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 260 to define "milk"; prohibit a food product labeled as milk unless it meets this definition of milk; require the Department of Agriculture to establish and implement a plan to enforce these provisions; authorize the Department of Agriculture to promulgate administrative regulations.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)

SB82 (BR1060) - J. Adams, M. McGarvey, G. Neal, R. Thomas

AN ACT establishing the Kentucky Eating Disorder Council and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 210 to establish the Kentucky Eating Disorder Council in the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; set forth membership and duties; require a report annually beginning December 1, 2020; sunset the council on December 1, 2030, unless otherwise reestablished by the General Assembly.

SB82 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Amends membership of the council; creates a new section of KRS Chapter 210 to establish the Kentucky Eating Disorder Fund; APPROPRIATION.
SCA1(J. Adams) - Make title amendment.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 07, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Monday, February 10, 2020
Feb 10, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 34-0 with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 11, 2020 - received in House
Feb 13, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

SB83 (BR956) - J. Schickel

AN ACT relating to library district boards.

Amend KRS 173.480, relating to public library districts' initial board appointments, to allow a county judge/executive with the approval of the fiscal court to appoint the first members of the newly created library board when any of the prospective appointees presented to the judge, in the judge's opinion, are not suitable; amend KRS 173.490, relating to public library districts, to allow a county judge/executive with the approval of the fiscal court to appoint members or fill vacancies of the library board when any of the prospective appointees presented to the judge, in the judge's opinion, are not suitable; amend KRS 173.725, relating to petition-created library districts' initial board appointments, to allow a county judge/executive with the approval of the fiscal court to appoint the first members of the newly created library board when any of the prospective appointees presented to the judge, in the judge's opinion, are not suitable; amend KRS 173.730, relating to library districts created by petition, to allow a county judge/executive with the approval of the fiscal court to appoint members or fill vacancies of the library board when any of the prospective appointees presented to the judge, in the judge's opinion, are not suitable.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB84 (BR951) - R. Girdler

AN ACT relating to insurance policies.

Amend KRS 304.20-040, 304.20-310, and 304.20-320 to alphabetize definitions, add definition for "alteration of terms"; make technical corrections; provide that an alteration of terms shall not be considered a refusal to renew under certain circumstances.

Jan 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (S)

SB85 (BR1205) - A. Kerr, M. McGarvey, J. Adams, J. Carroll, P. Clark, D. Harper Angel, R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to mental health protection and declaring an emergency.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 210 define "conversion therapy," "mental health professional," and "public funds"; prohibit mental health professionals from engaging in conversion therapy with a person under 18 years of age or a person who is 18 years or older who is an adult as defined in KRS 209.020 or a ward as defined in KRS 387.510; require violations to be subject to board discipline; prohibit public funds from being used for conversion therapy; add the short title "Mental Health Protection Act"; EMERGENCY.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

SB86 (BR1242) - S. West

AN ACT relating to water fluoridation programs.

Amend KRS 211.190 to allow local government entities and special districts to void implementation of the water fluoridation programs administered by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services by legislative action.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB87 (BR10) - W. Westerfield

AN ACT relating to juvenile justice.

Amend KRS 635.020 to remove automatic transfer of a child from District to Circuit Court in certain cases; amend KRS 640.010 to prohibit transfer of a child to Circuit Court in cases involving persons with an IQ under 70.

SB87 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Remove prohibition on transfer to circuit court of a child found to be a defendant with an intellectual disability.
SFA1(W. Westerfield) - Add intellectual disability to list of factors to be considered by judge in decision to transfer a child to circuit court.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1); floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 04, 2020 - passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day
Feb 05, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 36-2 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendment (1); received in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Feb 10, 2020 - posted in committee

SB88 (BR1213)/AA - W. Schroder

AN ACT relating to state-supported universities and community colleges participating in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System and declaring an emergency.

Amend KRS 61.522 to permit a state-supported university or community college ceasing participation in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System (KERS) nonhazardous plan by June 30, 2020, under the provisions of subsection (8) of KRS 61.522 (2019 SS HB 1), to make an election to retain participation in the retirement plan for only its existing employees who began participating in the systems administered by the Kentucky Retirement Systems prior to September 1, 2008, (Tier I) and, upon its effective cessation date, cease the participation of its existing employees who began participating on or after September 1, 2008, but prior to January 1, 2014 (Tier II); vary assumed rate of return/discount rate used to determine cessation costs from 3% to 4.5% based upon university/college employers' decisions regarding payment type (lump-sum vs. installments) and based on employee type (Tier I and II) and whether those employees will continue to participate in KERS after June 30, 2020; EMERGENCY.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB89 (BR1194) - S. Meredith
Jan 21-WITHDRAWN

SB90 (BR1217) - S. Meredith, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, P. Hornback, R. Mills

AN ACT protecting the exercise of medical ethics and diversity within the medical profession.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 344 to define terms; prohibit discrimination against medical care providers who decline to perform procedures that violate their conscience; grant providers the right not to participate in or pay for services that violate their conscience; exempt providers from liability for exerciseing these rights; establish a civil cause of action for persons injured by violations of these provisions.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB91 (BR470) - J. Adams, R. Alvarado, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith

AN ACT relating to surgical smoke evacuation.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 216B to define terms and to require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to promulgate administrative regulations requiring the use of a smoke evacuation system during any surgical procedure that is likely to produce surgical smoke; amend KRS 216B.990 to establish penalties.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 14, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 18, 2020
Feb 18, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 32-0
Feb 19, 2020 - received in House

SB92 (BR1123) - J. Adams, D. Parrett

AN ACT relating to the restoration of parental rights.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 625 to establish a process and requirements for the restoration of parental rights; amend KRS 164.2847 to include a student who was reunified with parents whose parental rights were restored and a student who obtained a high school equivalency diploma; amend KRS 625.046 and 625.110 to conform.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB93 (BR914) - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to residential communities.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 381 to define terms related to planned communities; establish administrative standards for planned communities; provide standards for declarations for planned communities; indicate that planned communities shall have a declaration accompanied by bylaws that include specific provisions; provide that associations shall have an executive board with enumerated powers; allow periods of declarant control of the associations; provide for rights and responsibilities of associations; require associations to keep certain financial records; allow associations to assess lot owners for certain expenses; allow associations to have a lien upon any lot for nonpayment of assessments; provide guidelines for revitalization of defunct associations; establish guidelines for civil liabilities; define "governing documents" and "homeowners' association"; state that the governing documents may not prohibit the outdoor display of political yard signs 30 days before any special, primary, or general election until seven days after that election; establish a short title.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB94 (BR1258) - P. Hornback, W. Westerfield, M. Castlen, R. Girdler, S. Humphries, S. Meredith, D. Parrett, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to motor fuel.

Amend KRS 363.904 to remove requirements for the sale of gasoline containing up to ten percent ethanol.

SB94 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Amend KRS 363.904 to specify waiver requirements for gasoline containing up to 15% ethanol.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)
Jan 28, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 29, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 30, 2020
Jan 30, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 37-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 31, 2020 - received in House
Feb 03, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Feb 04, 2020 - posting waived
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 7, 2020
Feb 07, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 86-0
Feb 10, 2020 - received in Senate; enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; delivered to Governor

SB95 (BR1198) - C. McDaniel

AN ACT relating to sales and use tax exemptions.

Amend KRS 139.480 to exempt from sales and use tax tangible personal property purchased by a person for incorporation into a structure or improvement to real property under a contract with the federal, state, or local government, or a resident, nonprofit educational, charitable, or religious institution; apply to sales made after October 1, 2020, but before October 1, 2024; require the Department of Revenue to report the claimed exemptions to the Interim Joint

Committee on Appropriations and Revenue; amend KRS 131.190 to give the department authority to provide the report to the Legislative Research Commission.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB96 (BR1283) - P. Clark

AN ACT relating to a drug-free workplace.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 336 to provide definitions and to require public employers to have an appeals process for an employee who violates a drug-free policy using legal industrial products; amend KRS 18A.043 to require an appeals process for those public employers who require drug testing; amend KRS 304.13-167 to require Section 2 be complied with by public employers and suggested for private employers.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)

SB97 (BR281)/CI - G. Neal, R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to racial and ethnic community criminal justice and public safety impact statements.
Create new sections of KRS Chapters 6 and 15A to make legislative findings and require racial and ethnic community criminal justice and public safety impact statements for certain legislation and administrative regulations.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

SB98 (BR1270) - J. Schickel

AN ACT relating to employment discrimination based on smoking.
Amend KRS 344.040 to remove protections against employment discrimination based on an individual's status as a smoker or nonsmoker.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB99 (BR1162)/LM - J. Schickel, D. Thayer

AN ACT relating to alcoholic beverages.
Amend KRS 242.1243 to remove sunset provision for local option elections for distilleries; amend KRS 243.0305 to allow distillery gift shops to sell products that were produced in collaboration with a brewer or microbrewer; amend KRS 243.120 to establish minimum production amounts for distillery licensees.

SB99 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1/LM - Amend KRS 242.1243 to remove sunset provision for local option elections for distilleries; amend KRS 243.0305 to allow distillery gift shops to sell products that were produced in collaboration with a brewer or microbrewer and add non-exclusivity provision; amend KRS 243.120 to establish minimum production amounts for distillery licensees; create a new section of KRS Chapter 242 to allow a local option election for a microbrewery; amend KRS 243.157 to add language territories moist through local option election; amend KRS 241.010 definition of "moist" to conform.
SCA1(J. Schickel) - Make title amendment.
SFA1(J. Schickel) - Amend KRS 242.1243 to stipulate that, while a distiller may offer products produced in collaboration with a brewer or microbrewer in its gift shop, the packages shall not be exclusive to the distiller's gift shop and the distiller shall purchase the jointly branded souvenir packages from a licensed malt beverage distributor.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)
Jan 28, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title); floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Jan 29, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 30, 2020
Jan 30, 2020 - passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day
Jan 31, 2020 - passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day
Feb 03, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 27-7 with Committee Substitute (1), floor amendment (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 04, 2020 - received in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

SB100 (BR1355) - S. Meredith, R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to recovery of medical costs in tort actions.
Amend KRS 411.182 to limit the amounts recoverable for medical costs in tort actions.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 29, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 31, 2020 - reassigned to Judiciary (S)

SB101 (BR1319) - M. Wilson, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to awarding of credit under articulation agreements.
Amend KRS 164.2951 to require the Council on Postsecondary Education to facilitate the implementation of a standardized articulation agreement for each approved high school career pathway to be honored at any public college or university.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Education (S)
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Feb 11, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 38-0; received in House
Feb 13, 2020 - to Education (H)

SB102 (BR1129) - R. Mills, R. Alvarado, C. Embry Jr.

AN ACT relating to operations of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services.
Amend KRS 42.545 to delete the Kentucky Health and Geriatric Authority; amend KRS 42.720, 42.726, 42.728, and 61.8715 to delete reference to the Statewide Strategic Planning Committee for Children in Placement; amend KRS 154.20-020 to delete reference to building a 100-bed inpatient mental health facility in eastern Kentucky; amend KRS 194A.050, 194A.180, and 194A.190 to delete reference to the Public Health Services Advisory Council; amend KRS 199.894 to change definitions of "child-care center" and "family child-care home"; amend KRS 199.896 to add exemption from licensure for certain instructional programs; amend KRS 202A.422 to add to persons who may serve as a witness, notary public, or other person authorized to administer oaths to the signing of an advance directive; amend KRS 205.178 to change reporting requirement; amend KRS 205.201 to delete report that no longer exists; amend KRS 209.552 to change flu immunization requirements for long-term care facilities; amend KRS 209.554 to delete the Department for Public Health's mandate to negotiate purchase prices of vaccines for long-term care facilities; amend KRS 210.575 and 210.577 to revise the membership and duties of the Commission on Services and Supports for Individuals with an Intellectual Disability and Other Developmental Disabilities; amend KRS 211.1752 to delete appeals hearings from the local Health Department Employment Personnel Council duties; amend KRS 211.596 to change the membership of the Pediatric Cancer Research Trust Fund Board; amend KRS 211.990 to establish financial penalties and create a Class D felony for violations of KRS 211.842 to 211.852 relating to radiation control; amend KRS 213.011 to add the terms abortion and stillbirth and delete the terms induced termination of abortion and fetal death; amend KRS 213.031 to delete vital statistics and the Department of Education coordination on children's Social Security numbers; amend KRS 213.036 delete requirement for a local registrar in each registration district; change district to county; permit local health departments to designate a deputy registrar; amend KRS 213.041 to delete that vital statistic forms be typewritten; change local to state registrar; amend KRS 213.046 and 213.051 to require certificates of birth be filed with the state registrar within five working days; change local to state registrar; amend KRS 213.071 to change sealing of birth certificates; amend KRS 213.047 to change local to state registrar and add that fee and form may be submitted to a local health department; amend KRS 213.076 to delete requirement to provide color-coded envelopes to funeral homes; amend KRS 213.096 and 213.156 to add the terms abortion and stillbirth and delete the terms induced termination of abortion and fetal death; amend KRS 213.101 to conform; amend KRS 214.160 to require an infant born with substance abuse withdrawal symptoms to be reported to child protective services; amend KRS 214.554 to delete the Breast Cancer Advisory Committee; amend KRS 216.2920 to change definitions of "ambulatory facility", "facility" and "health-care provider"; amend KRS 216.2925 to conform; amend KRS 216.2980 to delete required reports to the Department for Public Health; amend KRS 222.231 to change inspection of accredited agencies to at least every two years; amend KRS 304.14-617 to change requirements for long-term care policies that cover adult day health care services; amend KRS 304.14-675 to change requirements for short-term nursing home insurance policies; amend KRS 205.6317, and 342.375 to conform; amend KRS 605.120 to change foster parent rate review reports to upon request; repeal KRS 194.245, 194A.140, 194A.145, 194A.146, 194A.200, 199.8992, 200.662, 205.217, 205.950, 205.955, 211.215, 211.400, 211.402, 216.2960, 216.370, 216.375, 216.750, 216.760, 216.770, 216.780, 216.800, 216.803, 216.805, 216.807, 216.810, 216.813, 216.815, 216.817, 216.820, 216.823, 216.825, 216.827, 216.830, 216.833, 216.835, 216.837, 216.840, 216.843, 216.845, 216.847, 216.850, 216.853, 216B.021, 216B.022, 216B.182, 216B.459, 219.390, and 620.157.

SB102 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Amend KRS 199.896 to delete required two separate levels of review for dispute resolutions on child-care provider deficiencies; amend KRS 210.575 and 210.577 to further revise the membership and duties of the Commission on Services and Supports for Individuals with an Intellectual Disability and Other Developmental Disabilities.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 31, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Monday, February 3, 2020
Feb 03, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 34-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 04, 2020 - received in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

SB103 (BR1202) - M. Castlen, P. Hornback

AN ACT relating to agricultural land.
Amend KRS 211.015 to reduce the minimum acreage requirement to qualify as a "farmstead" from ten acres to five acres for the purposes of on-site sewage disposal system requirements; amend KRS 318.010 to reduce the minimum acreage requirement to qualify as a "farmstead" from ten acres to five acres for the purposes of exemption from the requirements of the Kentucky State Plumbing Code.

SB103 - AMENDMENTS
SFA1(M. Castlen) - Delete orginal provisions; amend KRS 211.015 to change the definition of "farmstead" to include tracts of five contiguous acres or more, but exclude any dwellings or other structures unrelated to farming; amend KRS 318.010 to change the definition of "farmstead" to include tracts of five contiguous acres or more, but exclude

any dwellings or other structures unrelated to farming.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar; floor amendment (1) filed
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 14, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 18, 2020
Feb 18, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 32-0 with floor amendment (1)
Feb 19, 2020 - received in House

SB104 (BR1328)/LM - C. Embry Jr., A. Robinson, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, D. Parrett, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to the POW/MIA flag.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to designate the POW/MIA flag as the state's symbol of concern and commitment to achieving the fullest possible accounting of United States military personnel who, having been prisoners of war or missing in action, still remain unaccounted for or those who in the future may become prisoners of war, missing in action, or otherwise unaccounted for as a result of hostile action; specify locations, dates, and circumstances under which the flag shall be displayed.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)

SB105 (BR1284)/CI/LM - P. Clark

AN ACT relating to the regulation of cannabis and making an appropriation therefor.
Create various new sections of KRS Chapter 245 to define terms; to allow for possession, growth, use, processing, purchasing, transfer, and consumption of cannabis; to establish limits for transfer; to allow for purchasing and manufacture of cannabis accessories; to authorize activities and operation of retail stores, consumption establishments, cultivation facilities, cannabis testing facilities, and product manufacturing facilities; to establish possession limits; to prohibit smoking cannabis in public and to establish a fine for violation; to prohibit operation of motor vehicles while consuming cannabis and to specify that existing intoxication laws are not superseded; to prohibit state or local resources to be used to investigate violations of federal Controlled Substances Act that conflict with this KRS Chapter 245; to specify that an employer is not required to allow consumption, workplace intoxication, possession, or transfer of cannabis; to prohibit individuals under the age of 21 from entering cannabis establishments, purchasing, using, or misrepresenting their age and to provide for exceptions; to establish provisions for palliative or therapeutic use of cannabis by persons under the age of 21; to establish a penalty for underage possession of cannabis; to establish a penalty for underage cultivation of cannabis; to establish provisions for personal cultivation; to establish and direct the Department of Cannabis Control to administer KRS Chapter 245 and promulgate administrative regulations relating to all aspects of cannabis establishments, cannabis manufacturing, and transfer, cultivation, packaging, and health and safety requirements; to establish restrictions on advertising, and restrictions on additives, pesticides, visitor logs, and sample testing; to require promulgation of administrative regulations within 180 days; to establish timeframes for the issuance of licenses; to establish licensure requirements and separate licenses; to establish cannabis business license tiers; to establish a license and renewal fee and license application form; to establish a trust and agency account; to establish a cannabis regulation fund and mandate the direction of certain funds; to establish a civil penalty for violating KRS Chapter 245, including for failing to keep written records and submitting required reports; to require prioritization for Kentucky residents in the licensing of cannabis businesses; to establish the legislative intent that cannabis or cannabis products not in conformity with KRS Chapter 245 are seizable as contraband; to allow for local governments to prohibit the operation of cannabis businesses; to create a new section of KRS Chapter 138 to establish excise taxes; to establish the social equity loan trust and Social Equity Loan Program; to create a new section of KRS Chapter 139 to direct the placement of excise taxes and sales taxes relating to cannabis; to create a new section of KRS Chapter 431 to provide for the expungement of minor cannabis offenses; amend KRS 431.079 to conform; amend KRS 2.015 to make the cultivation, purchase, use, and possession of cannabis a higher age of majority activity; amend KRS 610.010 to make cannabis offenses under KRS Chapter 245 committed by minors under the authority of the juvenile session of the District Court; amend KRS 630.020 to grant a court jurisdiction over cannabis offenses committed by children; amend KRS 630.120 to prohibit commitment of children over a cannabis offense; amend KRS 218A.1421, 218A.1422, 218A.1423 to conform; amend KRS 218A.500 to exclude cannabis accessories from the definition of drug paraphernalia; amend KRS 12.020 and 12.252 to reflect the establishment of the Department of Cannabis Control; to establish a short title; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021; APPROPRIATION.

Jan 22, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 24, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB106 (BR1351) - W. Schroder

AN ACT proposing to repeal Section 233 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to the application of Virginia law in Kentucky.
Repeal Section 233 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to the application of Virginia law in Kentucky.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB107 (BR1241)/CI/LM - S. West, C. Embry Jr., P. Clark, D. Harper Angel, J. Higdon, M. McGarvey, G. Neal, M. Nemes, D. Parrett, R. Thomas, R. Webb

AN ACT relating to medicinal marijuana and making an appropriation therefor.
Create various new sections of KRS Chapter 218A to define terms; to exempt the medicinal marijuana program from existing provisions in Kentucky law to the contrary; to require the Department for Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Control to implement and regulate the medicinal marijuana program in Kentucky; to establish the Division of Medicinal Marijuana within the Department of Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Control; to establish restrictions on the possession of medicinal marijuana by qualifying patients, visiting patients, and designated caregivers; to establish certain protections for cardholders; to establish professional protections for practitioners; to provide for the authorizing of practitioners by state licensing boards to issue written certifications for the use medicinal marijuana; to establish professional protections for attorneys; to prohibit the possession and use of medicinal marijuana on a school bus, on the grounds of any preschool or primary or secondary school, in a correctional facility, any property of the federal government, or while operating a motor vehicle; to prohibit smoking of medicinal marijuana; to permit an employer to restrict the possession and use of medicinal marijuana by an employee; to require the department to implement and operate a registry identification card program; to establish requirements for registry identification cards; to establish registry identification card fees; to require the department to operate a provisional licensure receipt system; to establish the application requirements for a registry identification card; to establish when the department may deny an application for a registry identification card; to establish certain responsibilities for cardholders; to establish when a registry identification card may be revoked; to establish various cannabis business licensure categories; to establish tiering of cannabis business licenses; to require certain information be included in an application for a cannabis business license; to establish when the department may deny an application for a cannabis business license; to prohibit a practitioner from being a board member or principal officer of a cannabis business; to prohibit cross-ownership of certain classes of cannabis businesses; to establish rules for local sales, including establishing the process by which a local legislative body may prohibit the operation of cannabis businesses within its territory and the process for local ordinances and ballot initiatives; to establish technical requirements for cannabis businesses; to establish limits on the THC content of medicinal marijuana that can be produced or sold in the state; to establish requirements for cannabis cultivators, including cultivation square footage limits; to establish requirements for cannabis dispensaries; to establish requirements for safety compliance facilities; to establish requirements for cannabis processors; to establish procedures for the department to inspect cannabis businesses; to establish procedures for the suspension or revocation of a cannabis business license; to exempt certain records and information from the disclosure under the Kentucky Open Records Act; to require the department to develop, maintain, and operate electronic systems for monitoring the medicinal marijuana program; to require the department to promulgate administrative regulations necessary to implement the medicinal marijuana program; to establish that nothing in the bill requires government programs or private insurers to reimburse for the cost of use; to establish the medicinal marijuana trust fund; to establish the local medicinal marijuana trust fund; and to establish procedures for the distribution of local cannabis trust fund moneys; create a new section of KRS Chapter 138 to establish an excise tax of 12% for cultivators and processors for selling to dispensaries; to require that 80% of the revenue from the excise taxes be deposited into the medicinal marijuana trust fund; to require that 20% of the revenue from the excise taxes be deposited into the local medicinal marijuana trust fund; amend KRS 342.815 to establish that the Employer's Mutual Insurance Authority shall not be required to provide coverage to an employer if doing so would subject the authority to a violation of state or federal law; amend KRS 139.470 to exempt the sale of medical marijuana from the state sales tax; amend KRS 218A.010, 218A.1421, 218A.1422, 218A.1423, and 218A.500 to conform; amend KRS 12.020 to change the name of the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Control and to create the Division of Medicinal Marijuana; and amend KRS 12.252, 15.300, 15.380, 15.398, 15A.340, 15.420, 61.592, 62.160, 131.1815, 211.285, 241.010, 241.015, 241.030, 243.025, 243.0307, 243.038, 243.090, 243.360, 438.310, 438.311, 438.313, 438.315, 438.317, 438,320, 438.325, 438.330, 438.337, and 438.340 to conform; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021; APPROPRIATION.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 29, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB108 (BR1013) - S. Humphries

AN ACT relating to health care for inmates.
Amend KRS 441.053, relating to jail health care operations, to remove the prohibition that an entity that provides medical, dental, psychological, or pharmacy services to the Department of Corrections and local jails cannot also provide claims management or plan evaluation services.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 29, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB109 (BR1256) - P. Hornback, R. Mills, D. Parrett, W. Westerfield, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to custom operations on farms.
Amend KRS 376.135 to specify goods used in custom operations on farms for purposes of lien requirements.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)

SB110 (BR1113) - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to opportunities in education.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 141 to establish a separate income tax credit for tuition assistance based on contributions made to a qualified scholarship-granting organization; provide goals and reporting of metrics related to those goals; amend KRS 141.0205 to establish the order in which the credits may be taken; create new sections of KRS 136.500 to 136.575 to allow financial institutions to take the tax credit against the tax imposed by KRS 136.505; order all tax credits; create a new section of KRS Chapter 136 to require the Kentucky Department of Education to publish a list of certified nonpublic schools and nonpublic schools seeking certification; require the Department of Revenue to report information to the Legislative Research Commission; amend KRS 131.190 to conform.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB111 (BR1211)/LM - P. Wheeler, D. Carroll, C. Embry Jr., J. Higdon

AN ACT relating to the transportation of police officers, firefighters, emergency medical services personnel, coroners, and deputy coroners killed in the line of duty.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 72 to require the coroner to deliver the remains of police officers, firefighters, and emergency medical services personnel, as defined in KRS 61.315, killed in the line of duty to the family or other responsible entities in a casket or other similar vessel covered in an American flag; specify that the county is responsible for any costs associated with obtaining the flag and the casket or similar vessel, but that the county has no obligation to purchase the flag or the casket for the actual burial, cremation, or other disposition of the remains.

SB111 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1/LM - Retain original provisions of the bill but specify in subsection (1) that in addition to the specified responders, any coroner or deputy coroner killed in the line of duty shall be transported pursuant to the provisions of the bill, and provide that, rather than a casket or similar vessel, transported individuals are transported in a professional manner so as to obscure the outline of the decedent's remains, and provide that, upon the wishes of the family or other responsible party of the decedent, a flag shall cover the decedent; allow the coroner to make arrangements with a funeral home or other designated transport service to return the decedent for his or her final arrangements, but require that the transportation be done in the same manner as set out in subsection (1).
SCA1(A. Robinson) - Make title amendment.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 19, 2020
Feb 19, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 34-0 with Committee Substitute (1) committee amendment (1-title); received in House

SB112 (BR1327) - R. Webb

AN ACT relating to state symbols.
Name and designate the Treeing Walker Coonhound as the official dog of Kentucky.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB113 (BR213) - J. Schickel

AN ACT relating to campaign finance.
Amend KRS 121.015 to narrow the definition of "political issues committee" to three or more residents of Kentucky joining together to advocate or oppose a ballot issue, rather than the current definition of three or more persons joining together to advocate or oppose a ballot issue; amend KRS 121.035 to prohibit a corporation organized outside this state from making contributions or expenditures to support a ballot issue; amend KRS 121.150 to prohibit nonresidents of this state and corporations not organized in this state from being able to register a political issues committee, contribute to a political issues committee, or otherwise make contributions and expenditures in support of, or in opposition to, a ballot issue.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB114 (BR1388) - R. Mills, D. Carroll, R. Girdler, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to athletics.
Amend KRS 156.070 to require the board of education or agency designated by the board of education to manage interscholastic athletics to promulgate administrative regulations or bylaws requiring schools that participate in interscholastic athletics to designate all athletic teams, activities, and sports based upon the biological sex of the students eligible to participate; prohibiting male students from participating in athletic teams, activities, and sports designated as girls'; restricting access to athletic facilities designated for the use of an exclusive biological sex; and defining the methods of establishing a students' biological sex; prohibit designated agencies from entertaining complaints or investigations of policies; create a cause of action against a school that violates these provisions; require that the action be brought within 2 years; create a new section of KRS Chapter 164 to require a public postsecondary education institution or private postsecondary education institution that is a member of a national intercollegiate athletic association to designate all intercollegiate and intramural athletic teams, activities, sports, and events that are sponsored or authorized by the institution based on biological sex of students eligible to participate; to require that a public postsecondary education institution or private postsecondary education institution that is a member of a national intercollegiate athletic association prohibit male students from participating in athletic teams, activities, and sports designated as womens'; restricting access to athletic facilities designated for the use of an exclusive biological sex at a public postsecondary education institution or private postsecondary education institution that is a member of a national intercollegiate athletic association; and defining the methods of establishing a postsecondary students' biological sex; prohibit designated agencies from entertaining complaints or investigations of policies; create a cause of action against a postsecondary institution that violates these provisions; require that the action be brought within 2 years; title the Act: "Save Women's Sports Act."

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Education (S)

SB115 (BR1434) - M. Wilson, J. Adams

AN ACT relating to the tuition waiver for Kentucky foster or adopted children.
Amend KRS 162.2847 to include graduate programs in the tuition waiver for foster and adopted children; extend the eligibility time period.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Education (S)

SB116 (BR1243) - S. West, C. Embry Jr., R. Mills

AN ACT relating to the rights of parents.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 405 to establish specific rights of parents; establish a short title of "Parents Rights Protection Act."

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB117 (BR1232) - D. Givens

AN ACT relating to sales and use tax.
Amend KRS 139.472 to delete the words "in humans" and "human" from the definition of "drug"; amend KRS 139.480 to exempt drugs and over-the-counter drugs that are purchased by a farmer and used in the treatment of certain farm animals; apply to sales made after August 1, 2020, but before August 1, 2024; require the Department of Revenue to report the claimed exemptions to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue; amend KRS 131.190 to give the department the authority to report the information to the Legislative Research Commission; make technical corrections; EFFECTIVE August 1, 2020.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 29, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB118 (BR1452) - R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to prescription insulin.
Amend KRS 304-17A.148 to cap the cost-sharing requirements for prescription insulin at $100 per 30-day supply; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

SB118 - AMENDMENTS
SFA1(R. Thomas) - Apply cost-sharing cap to diabetes testing supplies; effective January 1, 2021.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 29, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (S)
Feb 19, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed

SB119 (BR1056)/LM - R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to elections.
Amend KRS 116.025 to require that a voter be a resident of the state and precinct on or before the day of a primary or an election for voter registration purposes; amend KRS 116.045 to allow a person who is not a registered voter prior to the time that the registration books are closed, and who possesses all other qualifications for voter registration, to register at the person's precinct of residence on the day of a primary or an election if the person confirms his or her identity, completes the registration form and a required oath, and has not withdrawn his or her registration after December 31 immediately preceding the primary; amend KRS 116.0452 to specify that timely receipt for precinct voter registration is on the day of a primary or an election; require the county clerk to provide the State Board of Elections with a report of the number of voters registering to vote at the precincts on the day of a primary or an election; amend KRS 116.055 to apply same-day registration requirements to primary voter qualifications; amend KRS 117.225 to require that if the person is not listed on the precinct roster, that the person, subject to applicable requirements, be given the opportunity to register and to vote at the precinct on the day of an election; amend KRS 117.365 to require that applications for voter registration completed at the precinct be presented to the grand jury and retained by the county clerk.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 29, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB120 (BR1395) - J. Higdon

AN ACT relating to income tax.
Amend KRS 141.019 to exclude from adjusted gross income the amount an employer pays on behalf of an employee for student loan debt owed by that employee; amend KRS 141.039 to exclude from gross income the amount an employer pays on behalf of an employee for student loan debt owed by that employee; amend KRS 131.190 to allow data to be reported by the Department of Revenue.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 29, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB121 (BR1489) - W. Westerfield

AN ACT relating to putative fathers.

Amend KRS 199.480 to reduce the time in which a putative father may register to be a party to an action for adoption if he did not receive notice prior to the birth of the child from 21 days to 72 hours; amend KRS 625.065 to reduce the time in which a putative father may register to be a party to an action for involuntary termination of parental rights if he did not receive notice prior to the birth of the child from 21 days to 72 hours.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 31, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB122 (BR1374) - J. Adams

AN ACT relating to assisted outpatient mental health treatment.
Amend KRS 202A.0815 to permit a person to be court-ordered into assisted outpatient mental health treatment if the person has be involuntarily hospitalized at least twice in the past 24 months instead of twice in the past 12 months.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 07, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Monday, February 10, 2020
Feb 10, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 33-1
Feb 11, 2020 - received in House
Feb 13, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 18, 2020 - posted in committee

SB123 (BR596) - A. Kerr

AN ACT relating to reorganization.
Amend KRS 12.020 relating to the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to restructure units within the cabinet; amend KRS 194A.030 related to the Office of the Secretary of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to restructure units and establish functions; create a new section of KRS Chapter 194A to establish the Division of Telehealth Services; confirm Executive Orders 2019-286, 2019-466, and 2019-719.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 31, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Feb 11, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 38-0; received in House
Feb 13, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 18, 2020 - posted in committee

SB124 (BR1504) - T. Buford

AN ACT designating the Garrard County Tobacco Cutting Contest as the official state tobacco cutting contest.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to designate the Garrard County Tobacco Cutting Contest as the official state tobacco cutting contest.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)

SB125 (BR19) - T. Buford, R. Alvarado, R. Girdler, P. Hornback

AN ACT relating to athletic trainers.
Amend KRS 311.900 to modify definitions used for athletic trainer licensing; amend KRS 311.901 to require athletic trainer regulations that include procedures, discipline, a code of ethics, and standards of practice; add a third supervising physician member to the athletic trainer advisory council; amend KRS 311.903 to describe activities that are or are not within an athletic trainer's scope of practice; direct the medical board to establish a formulary of legend medications an athletic trainer may obtain, transport, provide, or administer; authorize athletic training services for employment injuries; require an athletic trainer and the athletic trainer's supervising physician to complete a board form that establishes the athletic trainer's authorized practice activities.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

SB126 (BR1100) - M. McGarvey, J. Turner

AN ACT relating to public charter school authorizer training and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 160.180 to establish public charter school authorizer training guidelines for local boards of education; EMERGENCY.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Education (S)

SB127 (BR1439) - M. McGarvey

AN ACT relating to the tuition waiver for Kentucky foster or adopted children.
Amend KRS 162.2847 to include graduate programs in the tuition waiver for foster and adopted children; extend the eligibility time period.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB128 (BR96)/CI/LM - J. Higdon

AN ACT relating to performance-based incentives for jails and making an appropriation therefor.
Amend KRS 197.045 on felony sentence credits to award funds to local jails which offer programming that results in credit for state inmates; create a new section of KRS Chapter 441 to allow local jails to classify state inmates who have not been classified by the Department of Corrections within 30 days of the date of conviction; amend KRS 532.100 to increase the state inmate per diem paid to local jails offering approved evidence-based programming; create a new section of KRS Chapter 441 to create a negotiated contract option for jails meeting certain standards; amend KRS 441.055 to authorize administration regulations regarding contracts; APPROPRIATION.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB129 (BR1438) - J. Adams

AN ACT relating to cosmetology.
Amend KRS 317A.010 to include waxing in the definition of cosmetology and create a definition for wax technician; amend KRS 317A.050 to create a license for wax technicians and correct technical errors.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

SB130 (BR940)/LM - M. McGarvey, J. Adams, T. Buford, J. Carroll, P. Clark, D. Harper Angel, A. Kerr, G. Neal, R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to civil rights.
Amend KRS 344.010 to include definitions for "sexual orientation," "gender identity," " local Commission," and " real estate-related transaction"; amend KRS 344.020, relating to the purpose of the Kentucky's civil rights chapter, to include a prohibition on discrimination because of sexual orientation and gender identity; amend KRS 344.040, 344.050, 344.060, 344.070, and 344.080, relating to prohibited discrimination in various labor and employment practices, to include sexual orientation and gender identity; amend KRS 344.025, 344.100, 344.110, and 18A.095 to conform; amend KRS 344.120 and 344.140, relating to prohibited discrimination in places of public accommodation and advertisements therefor, to include sexual orientation and gender identity; amend KRS 344.170, 344.180, 344.190, 344.300, and 344.310, relating to the state and local human rights commissions, to include prohibition of discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation and gender identity in the scope of their powers and duties; amend KRS 344.360, 344.680, 344.370, and 344.380, relating to prohibited discrimination in certain housing, real estate, and other financial transactions, to include sexual orientation and gender identity; amend KRS 344.367, relating to prohibited discrimination in certain insurance sales, to include sexual orientation and gender identity; amend KRS 344.400, relating to prohibited discrimination in certain credit transactions, to include sexual orientation and gender identity; make various technical amendments; exempt the provisions of the Act from KRS 6.945(1).

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB131 (BR1429) - M. McGarvey

AN ACT relating to crimes and punishment.
Amend KRS 508.080 to insert gender neutral language.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB132 (BR1483) - R. Mills, G. Neal

AN ACT relating to juries.
Amend KRS 29A.040 to add holders of personal identification cards issued within a county to the master list of potential jurors for that county.

Jan 31, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 19, 2020
Feb 19, 2020 - passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day

SB133 (BR410)/LM - P. Wheeler

AN ACT relating to workers compensation for volunteer firemen and other emergency personnel.
Amend KRS 342.140 to add that income benefits for volunteer firemen, police, and emergency management agency members or trainees may be based on fifty percent (50%) of the state average weekly wage if that is greater than the average weekly wage of their regular employment.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 05, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)

SB134 (BR1343) - D. Givens, P. Wheeler

AN ACT relating to the Optometry Scholarship Program.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 164.740 to 164.7891 to establish the Optometry Scholarship Program; define scholarship eligibility requirements; direct the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority to promulgate regulations and administer the program; create the Optometry Scholarship Program fund; APPROPRIATION.

SB134 - AMENDMENTS
SFA1(D. Givens) - Make title amendment.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 05, 2020 - to Education (S)
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 19, 2020; floor amendment (1-title) filed
Feb 19, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 33-0 with floor amendment (1-title); received in House

SB135 (BR1175)/CI/LM - J. Adams, D. Harper Angel, M. McGarvey

AN ACT relating to defining sexual contact.
Amend KRS 510.010 to define "sexual contact."

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 05, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

SB136 (BR1537) - R. Mills, R. Girdler, R. Webb, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to direct-care staff.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 216 to require direct-care staff who provide care for a client with Alzheimer's or another form of dementia within the client's home to receive initial and ongoing training that is approved by the

Cabinet for Health and Family Services; require employers to provide cabinet-approved training and certificates of completion to direct-care staff who work with clients with Alzheimer's or another form of dementia; require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to promulgate administrative regulations to implement, monitor, and enforce the requirements of this section and to establish standards for approved trainings.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 05, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

SB137 (BR1222) - A. Kerr

AN ACT relating to the establishment of the 1775 Semiquincentennial Anniversary Commission.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 148 to establish the 1775 Semiquincentennial Anniversary Commission to enable Kentucky to adequately and appropriately commemorate the 250th anniversary of the opening of Boone Trace; delineate the membership of the 1775 Semiquincentennial Anniversary Commission; set forth the duties of the 1775 Semiquincentennial Anniversary Commission; provide that the section expires and shall be repealed effective January 1, 2027.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 06, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)

SB138 (BR1541) - R. Webb

AN ACT relating to wine corkage.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 243 to establish conditions for wine corkage in conjunction with a meal; create conditions for removal of a bottle of opened wine; amend KRS 243.020 to permit corkage; amend KRS 243.034 to allow a limited restaurant licensee to provide corkage; amend KRS 243.084 to allow a nonquota type 2 or NQ2 retail drink licensee to provide corkage; amend KRS 242.260 to exempt corkage from being a violation.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 06, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

SB139 (BR1540)/CI/LM - R. Webb

AN ACT relating to nonsupport.
Amend KRS 530.050 to raise the amount qualifying for flagrant nonsupport from $1,000 to $10,000 and raise the time period of flagrant nonsupport from 6 months to 12 months; specify lower the service time for a person jailed for nonsupport on a second or subsequent offense and that work release shall be permitted.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 06, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB140 (BR1543) - R. Webb, M. Wilson

AN ACT relating to animal control officers.
Create a new section of KRS 258.095 to 258.500 to require the Department of Agriculture to provide continuing education on criminal and law enforcement procedures and investigatory practices to animal control officers; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 06, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)

SB141 (BR1525) - A. Kerr

AN ACT relating to blood donation.
Amend KRS 214.450 to define "hemochromatosis"; amend KRS 214.454 to establish that a person who is diagnosed with hemochromatosis shall be considered a qualified blood donor.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 06, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - reassigned to Health & Welfare (S)

SB142 (BR1278)/CI/LM - J. Adams, M. Wilson

AN ACT relating to cruelty to animals.
Amend KRS 525.130 to change mental state to knowing or reckless; delete domestic animal killed by poisoning; add requirements of legal food processing, customary veterinary practices performed by a licensed veterinarian, horse racing not governed by federal law, reasonable defense, and accepted animal or pest control practices; add requirement of legality for animals hunting; strike language regarding "equine" under penalty portion and allow costs for any animal; amend KRS 525.135 to define "physical injury" and "reasonable costs"; add knowing or reckless to mental state; delete misdemeanor Class A language; add requirement for customary veterinary practices performed by a licensed veterinarian and reasonable defense; add language for penalties the court may impose; create a new section of KRS Chapter 525 to create crime of "extreme neglect" and make it a Class D felony; define "extreme neglect," "physical injury," and "reasonable costs"; create exemptions and establish penalties court may impose.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 06, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)

SB143 (BR1176) - P. Wheeler

AN ACT relating to moments of silence and reflection.
Amend KRS 158.175 to require moments of silence or reflection at the start of each school day and establish guidelines.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to Education (S)

SB144 (BR441)/LM - J. Carpenter, T. Buford, R. Alvarado, R. Girdler, P. Hornback, R. Mills, J. Schickel, W. Westerfield

AN ACT relating to coroners.
Amend KRS 72.410 to require a coroner to collect, secure, and provide for the disposal of any prescription medications of a decedent; amend KRS 72.992 to establish fines for violations of those duties.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB145 (BR939)/LM - M. McGarvey, J. Adams, R. Thomas

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 226 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to gaming.
Propose to amend Section 226 of the Constitution of Kentucky to authorize the General Assembly to define, permit, oversee, and regulate all forms of otherwise-permissible gaming; provide for the oversight and control of gaming by an administrative body funded by license fees and taxes levied on gaming; prior to July 2040, require 100% of gaming proceeds, in excess of the amount used to pay for an oversight administrative body of gaming, to go to the retirement systems; provide ballot language; submit to voters for ratification or rejection.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB146 (BR208) - M. McGarvey

AN ACT relating to employment protections.
Amend KRS 337.420 to make an employer only have to have one employee to be subject to the wage discrimination requirements; amend KRS 337.423 to require no wage discrimination for what has been paid to current or past employees and prohibit an employer from discriminating against an employee for discussing wages.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)

SB147 (BR1488) - W. Westerfield

AN ACT relating to interscholastic extracurricular activities.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 158 to authorize participation in a public school interscholastic extracurricular activity by a home-schooled student; establish criteria for participation; require a parent, guardian, or teacher of a home-schooled student participating in a public school interscholastic activity to verify the student's academic progress; declare a public school student who does not make academic progress at a public school and withdraws and enters a home school program ineligible for participation in an interscholastic activity for the remainder of the school year.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Education (S)

SB148 (BR469) - D. Givens

AN ACT relating to the registration of farmers for sales and use tax exemption purposes.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 139 to require persons engaged in farming to obtain an agriculture exemption number to claim an exemption from sales and use tax; require the Department of Revenue to develop a searchable database for sellers and retailers to verify the agriculture exemption number if the purchaser cannot produce documentation of the agriculture exemption number at the time of sale; Effective January 1, 2021.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB149 (BR1533) - J. Higdon

AN ACT relating to veterans.
Amend KRS 40.317 to decrease the number of veterans' benefits regional administrators and modify their duties; amend KRS 40.325 to include definition of nurse aides and allow for the hiring of nurse aides at veterans' centers; amend KRS 45A.960 to include a definition of nurse aides.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)

SB150 (BR908)/HM - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to out-of-network billing.
Amend KRS 304.17A-005 to define terms; create new sections of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to require the commissioner of insurance to establish a database of billed health care service charges; require an insurer to reimburse for unanticipated out-of-network care; prohibit balance billing from a provider who has been reimbursed as required; provide for an independent dispute resolution program to review reimbursements provided for unanticipated out-of-network care; allow unregulated health plans to opt-in to requirements; require insurers to provide certain notices in an explanation of benefits; amend KRS 304.17A-254 and 304.17A-505 to require certain disclosures; create a new section of KRS Chapter 365 to allow the Attorney General to enjoin persons violating Section 3; amend KRS 18A.225 to require the state employee health plan to comply with Sections 3 and 4 of the Act; amend KRS 304.17A-0954, 304.17A-096, 304.17A-500, 304.17A-580, 304.17A-649, 304.17B-001, 304.17B-015, 304.17B-033, 304.17C-010, 304.18-114, 304.38A-010, and 304.39-241 to conform; repeal KRS 304.17A-640; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

SB150 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Retain original provisions; effective January 1, 2021; make technical corrections.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

SB151 (BR1416)/CI/LM - G. Neal

AN ACT relating to hate crimes.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 532 to provide an enhanced term of imprisonment for any defendant convicted of certain crimes when he or she intentionally selected the person because of that person's actual or perceived race, color, ethnicity, national origin, religion, mental or physical

disability, gender identity or expression, or sexual orientation; amend KRS 15.334 and 17.1523 to conform; repeal KRS 49.320 and 532.031; restrictions of KRS 6.945(1) shall not apply to Sections 1 to 4 of this Act.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB152 (BR1297) - B. Smith, D. Parrett

AN ACT relating to the Endow Kentucky tax credit.
Amend KRS 141.438 to provide definitions; expand the Endow Kentucky tax credit cap to $5 million annually instead of the current tax credit cap of $1 million annually; provide that 20% of the tax credit cap is reserved for foundations and funds that exclusively serve rural counties; require reporting by the Department of Revenue; amend KRS 131.190 to conform.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB153 (BR1311) - P. Wheeler, T. Buford, C. Embry Jr., M. Nemes, J. Schickel

AN ACT relating to a tax credit for volunteer firefighters.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to establish a refundable income tax credit for certain volunteer firefighters; declare the purpose of the credit; require annual reporting to the Legislative Research Commission to evaluate the impact of the credit; amend KRS 141.0205 to provide the ordering of the credit; amend KRS 131.190 to allow reporting by Department of Revenue.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB154 (BR1579)/CI - J. Adams, G. Neal, M. McGarvey

AN ACT relating to mental illness.
Amend KRS 532.130, 532.135, and 532.140 to add a diagnosis of serious mental illness to the disabilities which prevent execution for persons convicted of capital offenses.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB155 (BR308) - D. Thayer

AN ACT relating to a two-day international horse racing event.
Amend KRS 138.510 to limit the tax exclusions that apply when a host track conducts a two-day international horse racing event that distributes in excess of a total of twenty million dollars in purses and awards; create a new section of KRS Chapter 148 to allow the Tourism, Arts and Heritage Cabinet to receive a promotional package without charge of fees at a two-day international horse racing event that distributes in excess of a total of twenty million dollars in purses and awards.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB156 (BR62) - J. Higdon, D. Givens, M. Nemes, M. Wilson, M. Wise

AN ACT relating to career and technical education.
Create a new section of KRS 158.810 to 158.818 directing the Kentucky Department of Education to develop a plan to transition all state-operated secondary vocational education centers to local school districts by July 1, 2024; require the Commissioner of Education to establish and appoint members to a workgroup to help develop and implement the plan; describe what the plan shall include; require the Kentucky Board of Education to approve the plan; require the department to provide an annual report to the Interim Joint Committee on Education.

SB156 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Retain original provisions; add the Kentucky Association of School Administrators, including a principal representative, to the Career and Technical Education Transition workgroup.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Education (S)
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 19, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 20, 2020

SB157 (BR1456) - W. Schroder

AN ACT relating to executive branch ethics.
Amend 11A.201 to define "financial impact" and refine the definitions of "executive agency decision" and "substantial issue"; amend KRS 11A.211 to include real parties in interest as part of the engagement of the executive agency lobbyist in the requirement to report compensation paid or received; amend KRS 11A.010 and 11A.233 to conform.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB158 (BR840) - D. Givens, M. Wilson

AN ACT relating to education.
Amend KRS 158.6455 to clarify the components of the statewide accountability system; require state indicators be evaluated on "status" and "change" and define the terms; require a school's overall performance, status, and change to be displayed on an online dashboard; amend KRS 160.346 to revise the criteria for determining targeted support and improvement and additional targeted support and improvement; prohibit the Department of Education from serving as the turnaround audit team or turnaround entity and from approving the school's audit team or turnaround entity; remove the principal evaluation and reassignment provisions from the audit and turnaround process; require the department to provide audit and turnaround intervention funds to districts identified for comprehensive support and improvement; amend KRS 156.160 to prohibit high school graduation requirements from including a postsecondary readiness indicator used in the state accountability system or a minimum score on a statewide assessment; amend KRS 158.140 to prohibit a local board from requiring achievement of a minimum score on a statewide assessment as a high school graduation requirement; amend KRS 160.1594 to prohibit charter authorizer training for local school boards until a charter application is received; amend KRS 158.6453 to require scores on IB examinations of 4 or higher to be included on the school report card; add noncodified language encouraging the department to assign more weight in the accountability system for progress made by subgroups toward goals.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - to Education (S)

SB159 (BR1622)/LM - W. Schroder

AN ACT relating to the operation of splash pads.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 211 to establish standards for the operation and maintenance of splash pads in a safe, sanitary manner.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB160 (BR1672) - W. Westerfield

AN ACT relating to the Department of Law.
Reorganize Office of the Attorney General.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 13, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB161 (BR1546)/CI/LM - A. Kerr

AN ACT relating to crimes and punishments.
Amend KRS 510.010 to define "registrant" and "adult intermediary"; amend KRS 510.155 to include communications with adult intermediaries for minors and enhance punishment if the minor or perceived minor is under 12 years old, the offender is a registered sex offender, or a person travels into the Commonwealth for the purpose of procuring or promoting the use of a minor.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 13, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SB162 (BR1636)/LM - R. Girdler

AN ACT relating to the training of city officials.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 83A requiring all mayors and legislative body members in cities of the home rule class to undergo a mandatory three-hour block of instruction concerning various duties and obligations; establish criteria for training and provide for training; establish filing requirements; establish penalty for failure to comply; require any mayor or legislative body members to receive training within one year of the effective date of this Act.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 13, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB163 (BR874) - W. Schroder

AN ACT relating to the reviser of statutes and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 7.136 to allow the reviser of statutes to edit any section or parts of sections of the Kentucky Revised Statutes that have been declared unconstitutional, void, or otherwise unlawful and unenforceable by a state or federal appellate court; EMERGENCY.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 14, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB164 (BR1481)/LM - P. Wheeler

AN ACT relating to solid waste and making an appropriation therefor.
Amend KRS 30A.190 to designate 100% of a new open dumping fine be paid to the county where the violation occurred; KRS 65.8808 to expressly include littering and open dumping as crimes subject to enforcement by code enforcement; amend KRS 224.40-100 to allow local governments to impose a civil fine between $250 and $500 for open dumping and prescribe funds to be used for abatement, cleanup and restoration of the illegal dump site; amend KRS 224.99-010 to direct penalties from littering to counties where the offense occurred; amend KRS 431.100 to direct fines from violations under criminal littering to counties for use in cleanup of litter and open dumps and direct 100 percent of new open dumping violation to the county; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 14, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB165 (BR1265)/LM - P. Hornback, R. Girdler, J. Carpenter, J. Schickel

AN ACT related to underground facility protection.
Amend KRS 367.4903 to define "positive response," "unique identification number", and "locator"; amend KRS 367.4909 to require operators to update the positive response system documenting the status of marking the approximate location of its underground facilities and to require excavators to give additional time to operators of underground facilities transporting gas or hazardous liquids or transmitting electricity; amend KRS 367.4911 to require excavators that find evidence of an unmarked underground facility to notify the protection notification centers and give the operators 6 hours to identify the facility; provide that if an operator of underground facilities other than one transporting gas or hazardous liquids or transmitting electricity fails to respond to locate requests and to update the positive response system the excavator shall not be liable for damages resulting from the operator's failure to comply with the duties provided in the Underground Facility Damage Prevention Act of 1994; amend KRS 367.4913 to clarify the duties of the protection notification centers and to require the centers to maintain certain information for 5 years and file an annual report with the Governor and the Legislative Research Commission.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 14, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)

SB166 (BR1580)/LM - B. Smith

AN ACT relating to prevention of smoking and vaping by students.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 156 to require the Department of Education to establish an anonymous reporting mechanism for students to report concerns about vaping and other substances in schools; establish policies for the prompt investigation of reports to the anonymous reporting mechanism; require local school districts to provide awarness programs to teachers, students, and staff about vaping.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Education (S)

SB167 (BR1077) - C. McDaniel

AN ACT relating to branch budget recommendations.
Amend KRS 48.020, relating to branch budget recommendations, to make technical corrections.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB168 (BR1078) - C. McDaniel

AN ACT relating to budget forms.
Amend KRS 48.040, relating to budget forms, to make technical corrections.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB169 (BR1079) - C. McDaniel

AN ACT relating to branch budget bills.
Amend KRS 48.310, relating to branch budget bills, to make technical corrections.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB170 (BR1081) - C. McDaniel

AN ACT relating to branch budget bills.
Amend KRS 48.720, relating to branch budget bills, to make technical corrections.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB171 (BR1080) - C. McDaniel

AN ACT relating to appropriations.
Amend KRS 48.610, relating to appropriations, to make technical corrections.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

SB172 (BR948)/AA - D. Parrett

AN ACT relating to reciprocity between the Kentucky Retirement Systems and the Teachers' Retirement System.
Amend KRS 61.680 to require the Kentucky Retirement Systems to apply reciprocity for a person retiring for a second time after waiving retirement benefits to return to a full-time position covered by the Teachers' Retirement System; allow the member to use omitted service credit for determining eligibility and the amount of benefits upon subsequent retirement; make the provision retroactive to retirements on or after December 31, 2009; require the Kentucky Retirement Systems and the Teachers' Retirement System to recalculate the retired person's benefits as if the service obtained had been purchased prior to retirement.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB173 (BR1344) - M. Castlen, W. Westerfield

AN ACT relating to employment and substance use disorder treatment.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 222 to encourage employment of workers who participate in employer-sponsored substance use disorder treatment.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)

SB174 (BR1555) - M. McGarvey

AN ACT relating to elementary and secondary teachers.
Amend KRS 161.1211 to allow national board certification to qualify a teacher for Rank II status; change Rank I requirements to reflect the change.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Education (S)

SB175 (BR1542) - R. Webb

AN ACT relating to working animals.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 258 to guarantee the right to utilize working animals for the mutual benefit and welfare of the animals and those they serve.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)

SB176 (BR1606) - J. Higdon

AN ACT relating to the Kentucky Public Employees Deferred Compensation Authority plans.
Repeal, reenact, and amend KRS 18A.245 and repeal and reenact KRS 18A.262 to establish conflict of interest provisions for trustees of the Kentucky Public Employees' Deferred Compensation Authority; amend KRS 18A.230 and 18A.255 to define financial planning, further provide guidance on advice provided to participants, and authorize the promulgation of administrative regulations; amend KRS 18A.250 to clarify auto enrollment provisions and authorize the promulgation of administrative regulations for implementation.

Feb 14, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

SB177 (BR33) - A. Kerr

AN ACT relating to beauty services.
Amend KRS 317A.010 to change the change the definition from "blow dry services" to "shampoo and style services," and define "stylist"; amend KRS 317A.050 to provide for an instructor training eligibility certificate and to reduce the number of hours of instruction required for a shampoo and style license from 450 to 300, revise the terminology to conform, specify requirements for a temporary event services permit, and remove residency requirement; amend KRS 317A.090 to remove restriction on when instructional hours may be given; amend KRS 317A.155 to allow stylists to operate outside of an establishment licensed by the board under certain conditions and to require permission of the person, or his or her legal representative, receiving services.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SB178 (BR1738)/CI/LM - R. Alvarado

AN ACT relating to deceptive lawsuit advertising and solicitation practices.
Creates new sections of KRS Chapter 367 to regulate advertising for legal services.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SB179 (BR1625) - D. Harper Angel

AN ACT relating to the sale of dogs, cats, and rabbits in retail pet shops.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 258 to define "animal shelter," "breeder," "broker," and "retail pet shop"; to prohibit retail pet shops from selling dogs, cats, and rabbits; to allow retail pet shops to collaborate with animal shelters to showcase dogs, cats, or rabbits; to require retail pet shops to maintain records documenting the source of each dog, cat, or rabbit it sells for at least one (1) year; amend KRS 258.990 to include a penalty for retail pet shop operators who violate this Act.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SB180 (BR1769) - R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to oaths before legislative committees.
Amend KRS 6.072 to require witnesses appearing before a committee, interim committee, statutory committee, subcommittee, commission, or task force of the General Assembly to take an oath prior to giving testimony.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SB181 (BR1453) - R. Thomas

AN ACT relating to mandatory benefits for health benefit plans.
Amend KRS 304.17A-200 to extend health-status eligibility rules to individual and employer-organized association markets; authorize insurance commissioner to designate additional health status-related factors; prohibit adjustment of premium or contribution amounts for group health benefit plans on the basis of genetic information; amend KRS 304.17A-220 to remove requirements relating to pre-existing condition exclusions; repeal and reenact KRS 304.17A-230 to define "pre-existing condition exclusion"; prohibit health benefit plans in any market from imposing any pre-existing condition exclusion; amend KRS 304.17A-155, 304.17A-250, 304.17A-430, 304.17A-706, 304.17B-001, 304.17B-019, and 304.18-114 to conform; amend KRS 18A.225 to require the state employee health plan to comply with Sections 1 and 3 of this Act; provide that provisions of Act apply to all health benefit plans issued or renewed on or after January 1, 2021; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SB182 (BR234)/CI/LM - C. McDaniel

AN ACT relating to the dissemination of personally identifying information.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 525 to create a Class A misdemeanor for disseminating personally identifying information on the Internet about a minor; establish increased criminal penalties for injury and levels of monetary loss; create a civil cause of action arising from violations; and limit the liability of service providers.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SB183 (BR1590) - W. Schroder

AN ACT relating to child abuse or neglect investigations.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 620 to prohibit a parent, guardian, or other custodian from withdrawing, transfering, or in any way altering the current enrollment of a child to hinder an abused or neglected child investigation; make violation of the prohibition a Class A misdemeanor; make violation of the prohibition a Class D felony if the child is taken out of state; make notification of intent a defense to prosecution.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SB184 (BR1454) - P. Hornback, D. Givens, D. Carroll, M. Castlen, S. Humphries, W. Westerfield

AN ACT relating to grain.
Amend KRS 251.370 to specify financial statement requirements; amend KRS 251.440 to specify application requirements.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SB185 (BR1812) - P. Hornback

AN ACT relating to agriculture.
Amend KRS 246.040, relating to the Commissioner of Agriculture, to make gender-neutral references.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SB186 (BR1746) - M. Nemes

AN ACT relating to the Auditor of Public Accounts.
Amend KRS 43.020 to delete requirement that the Auditor of Public Accounts reside at the seat of government; amend KRS 43.030 to

allow the assistant state auditor to recuse himself or herself in specified instances to comply with professional standards of accountancy; amend KRS 43.040 to require the Auditor of Public Accounts to file a certification of the inventory of the office with the Secretary of State at the end of his or her term of office and provide for delivery of the inventory to the successor of the Auditor of Public Accounts; provide that in the event of a vacancy in the office of Auditor of Public Accounts, the assistant state auditor shall deliver the inventory to the Auditor's successor; amend KRS 43.050 to provide the Auditor of Public accounts with the authority to bill for audits, examinations, investigations, and reviews; specify that the Auditor of Public Accounts may provide consulting services to state and local government entities and may charge a mutually agreed upon rate; delete reference to "outstanding warrants"; amend KRS 43.060 to specify that the Auditor of Public Accounts is required to annually audit the Commonwealth's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR); amend KRS 43.090 to require that all audit reports and responses be posted online in a publicly searchable format; amend KRS 43.200 to make the Auditor of Public Accounts' scholarship discretionary rather than mandatory.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in Senate

Senate Resolutions

SR1 (BR1120) - R. Stivers II

Establish the 2020 membership of the Kentucky State Senate.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR2 (BR870) - R. Stivers II

Adopt the Rules of Procedure for the 2020 Regular Session of the Senate.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR3 (BR1118) - R. Stivers II

Extend an invitation to the pastors of Frankfort churches to open sessions of the 2020 Regular Session with prayer.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR4 (BR1119) - R. Stivers II

Appoint a committee to wait upon the Governor.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Senate Floor; adopted by voice vote

SJR5 (BR885) - T. Buford

Direct the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to create a task force to study prescription drug transparency and affordability.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

SR6 (BR140) - J. Schickel

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Joy Lee Brady Meiman.

Nov 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR7 (BR198) - J. Schickel

Honor Lisa Raterman upon the occasion of her retirement.

Nov 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR8 (BR214) - J. Schickel, W. Schroder

Honor Pat Rosel upon his retirement as baseball coach at Ryle High School.

Nov 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR9 (BR297) - J. Schickel

Proclaim September 2020 as Prostate Cancer Awareness Month in Kentucky.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 13, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR10 (BR474) - R. Alvarado

Declare October 5, 2020, to be Ostomy Awareness Day.

Dec 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 24, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR11 (BR957) - R. Alvarado, D. Thayer

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Dr. Robert Couch.

Dec 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR12 (BR1152) - D. Thayer, C. McDaniel

Honor the Scott High School Girls' Cross Country Team upon winning the 2019 Class 2A State Championship.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR13 (BR493) - W. Westerfield

Honor Rachel Craig upon being named the 2020 Distinguished Young Woman of Christian County.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 28, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR14 (BR1135) - D. Givens

Honoring Phillip Coffey and his poem "Foot Soldier," and acknowledging the courageous service of Elroy Coffey during World War II.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR15 (BR466) - W. Schroder
Jan 17-WITHDRAWN

SR16 (BR1147) - J. Carroll

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Robert Houston "Bob" Stewart.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 13, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR17 (BR1062) - J. Carroll

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Andrew Lee "Biddie" Mason Sr.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 15, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR18 (BR389) - J. Turner

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Marcella Hall Moore.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor; adopted by voice vote

SR19 (BR1099) - J. Turner

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Bobby Wayne Jacobs.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor; adopted by voice vote

SR20 (BR1016) - P. Hornback, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, J. Carpenter, D. Carroll, J. Carroll, M. Castlen, P. Clark, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, D. Givens, D. Harper Angel, E. Harris, J. Higdon, S. Humphries, A. Kerr, C. McDaniel, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith, R. Mills, G. Neal, D. Parrett, A. Robinson, J. Schickel, W. Schroder, B. Smith, R. Stivers II, D. Thayer, R. Thomas, J. Turner, R. Webb, S. West, W. Westerfield, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

Declare January 15, 2020, to be Hunger Free Kentucky Day.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 15, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR21 (BR1156) - D. Harper Angel

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Gerald L. "Jerry" Blume.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 13, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR22 (BR163) - J. Schickel, R. Girdler, W. Schroder

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Dr. William R. Markesbery.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR23 (BR1021) - R. Girdler

Honor Citizens National Bank upon its 100th anniversary.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 12, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR24 (BR1153) - T. Buford

Recognize and celebrate the Aviation Museum of Kentucky for its contributions to the Commonwealth on its twenty-fifth anniversary.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 13, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR25 (BR1093) - M. McGarvey

Commemorate the 100th anniversary of Kentucky's ratification of the 19th Amendment to the Constitution of the United States giving women the right to vote.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR26 (BR825) - M. McGarvey

Honor Erin Schneider upon receiving a Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR27 (BR162) - M. McGarvey

Honor Lenny and Kelly Gant for their work with Bourbon and Bowties.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR28 (BR877) - M. McGarvey

Honor Peter Mitchell Rolfe for receiving the Saint Xavier High School Principal's List Award and for his many other accomplishments.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR29 (BR872) - M. McGarvey

Recognize and commend the Kentucky Department of Libraries and Archives and the Kentucky Extension Homemakers Association for developing the 2020 Kentucky Census Quilt as part of an effort to promote participation in the 2020 United States Census.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 08, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR30 (BR830) - J. Turner

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Lieutenant Colonel Grady Howell Tumlin.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 09, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 13, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SJR31 (BR404) - J. Turner

Designate Portion of Kentucky Route 1426 in Floyd County as the "CPL. Jeff Mulkey, KIA Vietnam War, Memorial Highway."

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 09, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SR32 (BR1195) - T. Buford, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, J. Carpenter, D. Carroll, J. Carroll, M. Castlen, P. Clark, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, D. Givens, D. Harper Angel, E. Harris, J. Higdon, P. Hornback, S. Humphries, A. Kerr, C. McDaniel, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith, R. Mills, G. Neal, D. Parrett, A. Robinson, J. Schickel, W. Schroder, B. Smith, R. Stivers II, D. Thayer, R. Thomas, J. Turner, R. Webb, S. West, W. Westerfield, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

Recognize Walker Montgomery.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 09, 2020 - to Senate Floor; adopted by voice vote

SR33 (BR1196) - T. Buford

Recognize John Michael Montgomery.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 09, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR34 (BR1059) - M. Castlen

Honor and memorializing Lieutenant John M. Spalding.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 09, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 04, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SJR35 (BR1027) - J. Adams, D. Harper Angel, R. Thomas

Direct the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to establish the Task Force on Services for Persons with Brain Injuries; establish duties of the task force; establish members of the task force; require a report to the Legislative Research Commission by December 1, 2020; cease the task force by December 31, 2020, unless otherwise authorized by the General Assembly.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 13, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

SJR36 (BR1178) - J. Higdon
Jan 16-WITHDRAWN

SR37 (BR1250) - R. Stivers II

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Ray Swafford.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 18, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR38 (BR1240) - S. Meredith

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Russell Clay Hackley.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 22, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR39 (BR1219) - D. Thayer, W. Schroder

Honor Representative Mark Hart for helping to save a five-year-old boy's life on September 8, 2019.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 15, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR40 (BR1248) - W. Westerfield

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Judith Glenn Smith "Judy" Harned.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR41 (BR1177) - R. Alvarado, R. Girdler, J. Schickel, W. Schroder, M. Wise

Declare March 10, 2020 to be Alzheimer's Awareness and Advocacy Day.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR42 (BR1260) - D. Givens

Recognize January 23, 2020, as Children's Advocacy Day.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 23, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR43 (BR1254) - D. Carroll

Recognize Mr. Steve Kelley on being named the 2019 Kentucky Farm Bureau Farmer of the Year.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 13, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR44 (BR1151) - D. Harper Angel, J. Adams

Declare February 27, 2020, to be Kentucky Rare Disease Day.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 16, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR45 (BR1264) - P. Hornback, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, J. Carpenter, D. Carroll, J. Carroll, M. Castlen, P. Clark, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, D. Givens, D. Harper Angel, E. Harris, J. Higdon, S. Humphries, A. Kerr, C. McDaniel, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith, R. Mills, G. Neal, D. Parrett, A. Robinson, J. Schickel, W. Schroder, B. Smith, R. Stivers II, D. Thayer, R. Thomas, J. Turner, R. Webb, S. West, W. Westerfield, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of George Louis Tapp.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR46 (BR1287) - D. Harper Angel

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Janet Conley Horton.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 22, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR47 (BR1289) - D. Harper Angel

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Anna "Louise" Edelen.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 22, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SCR48 (BR1253) - R. Webb, J. Turner

Establish the Abandoned Horse Task Force; set membership and areas of study; require report of findings by November 30, 2020.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (S)

SR49 (BR1255) - R. Webb

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of John Prichard Tierney.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR50 (BR1268) - W. Westerfield

Honor Christian Way Farm of Hopkinsville.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 28, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR51 (BR1280) - J. Turner, B. Smith

Recognize the retirement of Dr. Samir Guindi.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Senate Floor; adopted by voice vote

SR52 (BR1288) - D. Harper Angel

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Sidney William Anderson, Jr.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 23, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR53 (BR1286) - D. Harper Angel

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Marvin Lewis Dever Jr.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 23, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR54 (BR1263) - D. Thayer

Honor Joe Nevills upon winning a 2019 Media Eclipse Award.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 28, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR55 (BR1293) - R. Stivers II, J. Adams

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Humana's David Allen Jones.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 17, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR56 (BR1276) - T. Buford

Commend Taiwan for its relations with the United States.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 23, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR57 (BR1338) - M. Wilson

Honor Corvette and acknowledge the General Motors Corvette Assembly Plant in Bowling Green.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR58 (BR1337) - M. McGarvey

Support, educate, and promote organ donors.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR59 (BR1323) - J. Higdon

Recognize the bicentennial of New Haven, Kentucky.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 24, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR60 (BR1332) - R. Thomas

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Carolyn Upperman Clark.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 05, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR61 (BR1330) - R. Thomas

Recognize Muslim Day at the State Capitol.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 10, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR62 (BR1331) - R. Webb, R. Thomas, J. Schickel

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Thomas Edward Meaux.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR63 (BR1304) - G. Neal

Honor the work of the Center for Neighborhoods.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 21, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR64 (BR1389) - R. Stivers II

Establish the 2020 membership of the Kentucky State Senate.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR65 (BR1378) - W. Westerfield, W. Schroder

Honor Susan Stokley Clary upon her retirement.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate

Jan 23, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 28, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR66 (BR1386) - R. Stivers II

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Billy Wells.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR67 (BR1358) - J. Schickel, T. Buford, M. Wise

Honor Gay Dwyer upon her retirement as Kentucky Retail Federation Senior Vice President of Government Affairs.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR68 (BR1298) - J. Schickel, T. Buford

Honor former Kentucky State Senator Dan Seum.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR69 (BR1384) - M. McGarvey

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Jim Cox.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR70 (BR1348) - D. Carroll

Adjourn the Senate in honor and loving memory of Garry L. Terry.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR71 (BR1365) - M. Wise

Adjoun the Senate in honor and loving memory of Matt Burress.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR72 (BR1346) - M. Wise

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Ramona Barbee.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR73 (BR1364) - M. Wise

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of E. Bruce Heilman.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR74 (BR1367) - M. Wise

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Kay Shearer.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 12, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR75 (BR1342) - D. Givens

Adjourn in honor of Judith Anne Lambeth upon her retirement from Maryhurst.

Jan 22, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR76 (BR1393) - M. Wise, R. Alvarado, C. Embry Jr.

Recognize Childhood Cancer Awareness Day on January 23, 2020.

Jan 22, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR77 (BR1407) - M. McGarvey

Honor Rev. Cynthia M. Campbell upon her upcoming retirement as pastor of Highland Presbyterian Church.

Jan 22, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 24, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 12, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR78 (BR1400) - G. Neal, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, J. Carpenter, D. Carroll, J. Carroll, M. Castlen, P. Clark, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, D. Givens, D. Harper Angel, E. Harris, J. Higdon, P. Hornback, S. Humphries, A. Kerr, C. McDaniel, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith, R. Mills, M. Nemes, D. Parrett, A. Robinson, J. Schickel, W. Schroder, B. Smith, R. Stivers II, D. Thayer, R. Thomas, J. Turner, R. Webb, S. West, W. Westerfield, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

Honor the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.

Jan 22, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR79 (BR1405) - R. Thomas

Honor The Links, Incorporated, Day at the Kentucky State Capitol on January 23, 2020.

Jan 22, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 23, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR80 (BR1420) - A. Robinson

Recognize January 22, 2020, as National Sanctity of Human Life Day.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 24, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SJR81 (BR1165) - P. Wheeler

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate a portion of Kentucky Route 908 in Martin County in honor and memory of nine members of the Harless family who served in the armed forces; erect appropriate signage.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SR82 (BR1385) - M. McGarvey

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Phyllis Rich Cheuvront.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR83 (BR1430) - W. Westerfield

Recognize the 150th anniversary of Sunrise Children's Services.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Senate Floor

Jan 29, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR84 (BR1413) - M. McGarvey, D. Harper Angel, M. Nemes

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Rocky B. Comito.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Jan 31, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR85 (BR1406) - R. Thomas

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Julia Cantrell-Martin.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SCR86 (BR1058) - R. Alvarado

Condemn antisemitism and reaffirm that certain certain acts of antisemitism are hate crimes under Kentucky law.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

SJR87 (BR1314) - P. Wheeler

Designate the Robin Holbrook Memorial Bridge in Magoffin County.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 29, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SR88 (BR1465) - G. Neal, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, J. Carpenter, D. Carroll, J. Carroll, M. Castlen, P. Clark, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, D. Givens, D. Harper Angel, E. Harris, J. Higdon, P. Hornback, S. Humphries, A. Kerr, C. McDaniel, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith, R. Mills, M. Nemes, D. Parrett, A. Robinson, J. Schickel, W. Schroder, B. Smith, R. Stivers II, D. Thayer, R. Thomas, J. Turner, R. Webb, S. West, W. Westerfield, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

Adjourn the Senate in honor and loving memory of Nathaniel Jones.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Senate Floor; adopted by voice vote

SJR89 (BR1449) - R. Girdler

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to place signage on Kentucky Route 80 and Kentucky Route 2296 declaring Pulaski County as the "Home of the Somerset High School Football Team 2019 KHSAA Class 2A State Champs."

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SJR90 (BR1457) - R. Girdler

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to place signange on Kentucky Route 70 declaring Pulaski County as the Home of Paisley Carrigan, Little Miss US 2019.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SR91 (BR535) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Gale Fox Lively to the Kentucky Housing Corporation Board of Directors for a term expiring October 30, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR92 (BR560) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Larry Ray Brock to the Parole Board for a term expiring on July 30, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as consent; posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 13, 2020; adopted 33-0

SR93 (BR550) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Patrick Kelly Downard to the board of trustees of the Kentucky Retirement Systems for a term expiring June 17, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 06, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Monday, February 10, 2020
Feb 10, 2020 - adopted 34-0

SR94 (BR513) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Jonathan Robert Weatherby as administrative law judge for the Department of Workers' Claims for a term expiring on December 31, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR95 (BR523) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Paul Bryan Horn Jr. to the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Resources Commission for a term expiring August 13, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (S)
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as consent
Feb 13, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 13, 2020; adopted 33-0

SR96 (BR512) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Monica Rice-Smith as administrative law judge for the Department of Workers' Claims for a term expiring on December 31, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules with as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR97 (BR511) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Grant Stewart Roark as administrative law judge for the Department of Workers' Claims for a term expiring on December 31, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR98 (BR509) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Christina Ditty Hajjar as administrative law judge for the Department of Workers' Claims for a term expiring on December 31, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR99 (BR507) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Marc Christopher Davis as administrative law judge for the Department of Workers' Claims for a term expiring on December 31, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR100 (BR569) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Raymond Malcolm Burse to the University of Louisville Board of Trustees for a term expiring January 13, 2025.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Education (S)
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill; posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Monday, February 10, 2020
Feb 10, 2020 - adopted 34-0

SR101 (BR553) - J. Adams

Confirm the reappointment of Frank Edward Collecchia to the board of trustees of the Teachers' Retirement System for a term expiring March 10, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 06, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Monday, February 10, 2020
Feb 10, 2020 - adopted 34-0

SR102 (BR508) - M. Wilson

Confirm the reappointment of Douglas W. Gott as administrative law judge for the Department of Workers' Claims for a term expiring on December 31, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR103 (BR510) - M. Wilson

Confirm the reappointment Grant Stewart Roark as administrative law judge for the Department of Workers' Claims for a term expiring on December 31, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR104 (BR501) - M. Wilson

Confirm the reappointment of Gordon Ferrell Jones to the Agricultural Development Board for a term expiring July 6, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR105 (BR502) - C. McDaniel

Confirm the reappointment of Matthew Russell Hinton to the Agricultural Development Board for a term expiring July 6, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR106 (BR524) - R. Girdler

Confirm the reappointment of Karl Duane Clinard to the Kentucky Fish and Wildlife Resources Commission for a term expiring August 13, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (S)
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as consent
Feb 13, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 13, 2020; adopted 33-0

SR107 (BR531) - R. Alvarado

Confirm the reappointment of Barry Grant Noffsinger to the Kentucky Housing Corporation Board of Directors for a term expiring October 30, 2022.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted 36-0

SR108 (BR562) - B. Smith

Confirm the reappointment of Michael J. Schmitt as Chair of the Public Service Commission for a term expiring July 1, 2023.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (S)
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules as a consent bill
Feb 06, 2020 - posted for passage in the Consent Orders of the Day for Monday, February 10, 2020
Feb 10, 2020 - adopted 34-0

SR109 (BR1443) - D. Thayer

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Jonathan "Johnnie" Everett Jacobs.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 13, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR110 (BR1448) - R. Webb

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Sanford J. "Hank" McCane.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 31, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SCR111 (BR1487) - A. Kerr

Establish the Aerospace and Aviation Caucus within the Kentucky General Assembly.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 31, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)

SR112 (BR1486) - J. Adams

Proclaim January 30, 2020 as Live United Day

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR113 (BR1445) - D. Thayer

Honor Coach Bill Cronin upon his induction into the NAIA Hall of Fame.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 13, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR114 (BR1497) - R. Webb

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Phillip "Mouse" Morris LeMaster.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR115 (BR1402) - M. McGarvey

Adjourn the Senate in honor and loving memory of William Fitch Burbank Jr.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR116 (BR1366) - M. Wise, D. Givens

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Judge Edwin P. Abell.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR117 (BR1347) - M. Wise

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Lyle Stalcup.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SJR118 (BR1467) - T. Buford

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate Kentucky Route 1268 in Jessamine County in honor and memory of former U.S. Kentucky Eastern District Judge Bernard T. Moynahan Jr. and to erect the appropriate signage.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SR119 (BR1499) - R. Thomas

Recognize and Honor The Hearing & Speech Center for its invaluable services that have had a profound and positive impact on countless citizens across the Commonwealth.

Jan 31, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SJR120 (BR417) - P. Wheeler

Designate the Thurman W. "Punch" May Highway in Pike County.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 05, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SR121 (BR1529) - T. Buford

Adjourn the Senate in honor and loving memory of Janie Renee Miller.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 05, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 06, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR122 (BR1551) - G. Neal

Honor Lester Sanders upon being named the first African American President of Kentucky Realtors.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in Senate

Feb 05, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 11, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR123 (BR1545) - P. Hornback, J. Adams

Declare February 5, 2020, Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Day in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 05, 2020 - to Senate Floor; adopted by voice vote

SR124 (BR1563) - P. Hornback, S. Humphries, D. Carroll, R. Girdler, G. Neal, D. Parrett, W. Westerfield

Honor Kentucky farmers and recognize February 2 to 8, 2020, as Food Check-Out Week.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 04, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR125 (BR1557) - R. Thomas, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, J. Carpenter, D. Carroll, J. Carroll, M. Castlen, P. Clark, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, D. Givens, D. Harper Angel, E. Harris, J. Higdon, P. Hornback, S. Humphries, A. Kerr, C. McDaniel, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith, R. Mills, G. Neal, M. Nemes, D. Parrett, A. Robinson, J. Schickel, W. Schroder, B. Smith, R. Stivers II, D. Thayer, J. Turner, R. Webb, S. West, W. Westerfield, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

Recognize February 4, 2020, as Kentucky Nurses Day in the Commonwealth.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 04, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SJR126 (BR1544) - R. Girdler, R. Webb

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate a section of United States Highway 150 in Lincoln county in honor and memory of former television star Neal "The Banjo Man" James and erect the appropriate signage.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 06, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SR127 (BR1564) - M. Wise

Encourage citizens to recognize the achievements of audiologists and speech-language pathologists.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR128 (BR1444) - G. Neal, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, J. Carpenter, D. Carroll, J. Carroll, M. Castlen, P. Clark, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, D. Givens, D. Harper Angel, E. Harris, J. Higdon, P. Hornback, S. Humphries, A. Kerr, C. McDaniel, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith, R. Mills, M. Nemes, D. Parrett, A. Robinson, J. Schickel, W. Schroder, B. Smith, R. Stivers II, D. Thayer, R. Thomas, J. Turner, R. Webb, S. West, W. Westerfield, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

Celebrate Black History Month and honor the life and legacy of Colonel Charles Young.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR129 (BR1592) - G. Neal

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Wanda Marie Benson Ford.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR130 (BR1538) - M. Wise

Honors and recognizes Command Sergeant Major William Keith Cox on the occasion of his retirement from the Kentucky National Guard.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR131 (BR1591) - J. Higdon

Recognize September 13, 2020, as World Sepsis Day and September as Sepsis Awareness Month.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SJR132 (BR1595) - R. Girdler, M. Wise

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate a section of Kentucky Route 1575 in Pulaski County in honor and memory of William "Bill" Ray and erect signage denoting this designation.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SJR133 (BR1583) - T. Buford

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate Kentucky Route 52 in Garrard County in honor of former State Representative Lonnie Napier.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SR134 (BR1607) - G. Neal

Honor Steve Crump upon being inducted into the Kentucky Journalism Hall of Fame.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR135 (BR1612) - P. Hornback, R. Girdler, R. Alvarado, M. McGarvey

Recognize and honor Community Farm Alliance upon its 35th anniversary.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SJR136 (BR1577) - J. Schickel

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate a portion of Kentucky Route 338 in Boone County in honor and memory of Vietnam Veteran and Army Specialist, Gary Leslie Moore; erect appropriate signage denoting this designation.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

SR137 (BR1511) - D. Givens

Recognize February as Kentucky Career and Technical Education Month.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 11, 2020 - adopted by voice vote
Feb 12, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR138 (BR1615) - D. Givens

Honor Dr. Eugenia Toma upon her upcoming retirement.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR139 (BR1604) - D. Harper Angel, J. Carroll, M. McGarvey, D. Thayer, R. Thomas, J. Turner, R. Webb

Celebrate the 19th Amendment to the United States Constitution.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - to Senate Floor
Feb 13, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR140 (BR1626) - R. Mills

Honor Kentucky Dental Association President Dr. Mark A. Moats.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR141 (BR1634) - D. Thayer

Honor Georgetown College upon its 190th year in existence.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 13, 2020 - to Senate Floor; adopted by voice vote

SJR142 (BR1602) - R. Girdler
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SR143 (BR1682) - G. Neal, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, J. Carpenter, D. Carroll, J. Carroll, M. Castlen, P. Clark, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, D. Givens, D. Harper Angel, E. Harris, J. Higdon, P. Hornback, S. Humphries, A. Kerr, C. McDaniel, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith, R. Mills, M. Nemes, D. Parrett, A. Robinson, J. Schickel, W. Schroder, B. Smith, R. Stivers II, D. Thayer, R. Thomas, J. Turner, R. Webb, S. West, W. Westerfield, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

Celebrate Charles Young's posthumous promotion to the rank of Brigadier General.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR144 (BR1683) - M. Wise, J. Higdon

Adjourn the Senate in honor and loving memory of Randall G. Phillips.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR145 (BR1723) - W. Westerfield

Honor Thornton Elwood Richardson.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR146 (BR1724) - W. Westerfield

Honor Corporal Howard Bentley.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR147 (BR1721) - W. Westerfield

Honor James Edward Ethridge.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR148 (BR1722) - W. Westerfield

Honor Harry H. Breithaupt.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR149 (BR1635) - S. West

Adjourn the Senate in recognition of Kentucky Land Title Day.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR150 (BR1717) - R. Alvarado

Declare the week of February 24, 2020, to March 1, 2020, as National Eating Disorders Awareness Week in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 14, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR151 (BR1616) - J. Higdon, R. Stivers II

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Taylor Rae Nolan, and in honor of the Rae of Sunshine Foundation.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 14, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SCR152 (BR1496) - P. Wheeler, R. Webb

Reestablish the Public Water and Wastewater System Infrastructure Task Force; direct the task force to continue to evaluate policy options on how to address Kentucky's troubled public water and wastewater systems; name the membership of the task force; require the task force to meet at least three times during the 2020 Interim and to submit its findings, legislative recommendations, or a memorandum to the Legislative Research Commission by November 30, 2020; provide that the Legislative Research Commission is authorized to alternatively assign the issues to be addressed by the task force to an interim joint committee or subcommittee thereof and to assign an alternative study completion date.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 14, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)

SR153 (BR1669) - J. Adams

Declare February 13, 2020, as a Day of Celebration of the 100th anniversary of the League of Women Voters.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 13, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SJR154 (BR1164) - P. Wheeler

Designate the PFC Thomas Randell Ramey Memorial Bridge in Martin

County.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote; vote reconsidered; to Committee on Committees (S); to Transportation (S)

SR155 (BR1733) - T. Buford

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Emma Jacqueline "Jackie" Chambers West.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR156 (BR1690) - M. Wise

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Joyce Hoots.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR157 (BR1691) - M. Wise

Honor the Campbellsville University women's basketball program upon winning its 1,000th game.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR158 (BR1692) - M. Wise

Honor Barry Dunn upon being selected to serve as Deputy Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR159 (BR1740) - R. Thomas

Adjourn the Senate in honor and loving memory of Donald P. Cross.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Senate Floor

SR160 (BR1841) - G. Neal, J. Adams, R. Alvarado, T. Buford, J. Carpenter, D. Carroll, J. Carroll, M. Castlen, P. Clark, C. Embry Jr., R. Girdler, D. Givens, D. Harper Angel, E. Harris, J. Higdon, P. Hornback, S. Humphries, A. Kerr, C. McDaniel, M. McGarvey, S. Meredith, R. Mills, M. Nemes, D. Parrett, A. Robinson, J. Schickel, W. Schroder, B. Smith, R. Stivers II, D. Thayer, R. Thomas, J. Turner, R. Webb, S. West, W. Westerfield, P. Wheeler, M. Wilson, M. Wise

Honor Juanita Green upon the occasion of her 106th birthday.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate; adopted by voice vote

SR161 (BR1618) - J. Adams

Declare March 12, 2020, Kidney Disease Awareness Day in Kentucky.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SR162 (BR1859) - J. Adams

Declare 2020 as the Year of the Eye Exam.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SR163 (BR1818) - J. Adams

Honor Dr. Aaron McNulty.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SR164 (BR1839) - A. Robinson

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of James Traver Kirk.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SR165 (BR1820) - D. Thayer

Honor Dr. Jay Box upon his upcoming retirement as President of the Kentucky Community and Technical College System.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 19, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR166 (BR1830) - R. Thomas

Honor Surgery on Sunday, Inc.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in Senate
Feb 19, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

SR167 (BR1867) - T. Buford

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Janie Renee Miller.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in Senate

SR168 (BR1792) - T. Buford

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Charles C. "Sid" East.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in Senate

House Bills

HB1 (BR1154) - D. Meade , D. Osborne, C. McCoy, S. Miles, J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to public assistance.
Create various new sections of KRS 205 to require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to utilize a single electronic benefit transfer card for each beneficiary; to prohibit beneficiaries from withdrawing cash using an electronic benefit transfer card; to prohibit the use of cash assistance benefits to purchase certain items or make purchases at certain establishments; to establish that an individual who traffics in electronic benefit transfer cards may be deemed ineligible for public assistance benefits; to restrict the use of Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program benefits when purchasing certain beverages; to direct the cabinet to join the SNAP National Accuracy Clearinghouse; to require the cabinet to seek certain federal Medicaid and SNAP waivers; to require the cabinet to implement a community engagement program for Medicaid beneficiaries when Medicaid expenditures reach a certain level; and to direct the Attorney General to bring an action against the cabinet if the provisions of this act are not fully implemented; amend KRS 6.940 to reestablish the Medicaid Oversight and Advisory Committee as the Public Assistance Oversight and Advisory Committee; amend KRS 205.200 to require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to use only the most recent income data when determining eligibility; amend KRS 205.2005 to require that a Medicaid beneficiary who is convicted of a drug related felony offense seek substance use disorder treatment in order to remain eligible for benefits; amend KRS 205.725 to require the cabinet to upon receipt of an application for public assistance to take action to assure that the responsible parent or parents provides support to a child and to require that the custodial parent of a needy dependent child provide the cabinet with certain information to assist in assuring that child support is provided; and amend KRS 441.045 to require that a county jailer notify the cabinet when a county prisoner is incarcerated and when they are released.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 18, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 19, 2020 - taken from Health and Family Services (H); 1st reading; returned to Health and Family Services (H)

HB5 (BR422) - D. Meade , K. Banta, L. Bechler, D. Bentley, J. Blanton, A. Bowling, K. Bratcher, R. Bridges, D. Elliott, D. Frazier, C. Freeland, R. Goforth, D. Hale, M. Hart, R. Heath, S. Heavrin, R. Huff, T. Huff, K. King, M. Koch, A. Koenig, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, C. Massey, B. McCool, C. McCoy, K. Moser, J. Nemes, D. Osborne, J. Petrie, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, B. Reed, S. Riley, R. Rothenburger, S. Rudy, S. Santoro, S. Sheldon, N. Tate, W. Thomas, J. Tipton, K. Upchurch, R. Webber, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to the Solemn Covenant of the States to Award Prizes for Curing Diseases Interstate Compact.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 214 to enact and enter into the Solemn Covenant of the States to Award Prizes for Curing Diseases Interstate Compact with all other jurisdictions that legally join in the compact; declare the purpose of the compact; define terms; and establish the Solemn Covenant of States Commission and set forth the functions of the commission.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 28, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020

HB6 (BR23) - C. Booker, T. Bojanowski, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, J. Glenn, D. Graham, M. Hart, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, P. Minter, J. Nemes, J. Raymond, A. Scott, J. Sims Jr, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 145 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to persons entitled to vote.
Propose to amend Section 145 of the Constitution of Kentucky to restore voting rights to persons convicted of felonies upon completion of their sentence; submit to the voters for ratification or rejection.

May 03, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB7 (BR80)/AA/CI/LM - A. Gentry, T. Bojanowski, K. Flood, J. Jenkins, D. Schamore, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to the expansion of gaming and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 154A to state the findings of the General Assembly; amend KRS 154A.010 to define, "authorizing location," "casino," "county," "county legislative body," "department," "full casino gaming," "gaming licensee," "gross gaming revenue," "handle," "licensee," "limited casino gaming," and "principal"; amend KRS 154A.030 to expand the Lottery Corporation board membership and duties; amend KRS 154A.040 to include casino licensees; amend 154A.063 to remove prohibition against casino gaming; create new sections of KRS Chapter 154A to require a local option election in any precinct wanting to host a casino; describe the duties of the county clerk and sheriff in a casino gaming local option election; state requirements for local option elections held on a day other than a regular election day; require the corporation to advertise an invitation to bid for casinos; require the corporation to evaluate all proposals for full casinos; establish initial licensing fees for full casinos at $50 million with an initial licensing period of ten years and annual renewal thereafter at $6 million per year; permit limited casino gaming at horse racing tracks licensed under KRS Chapter 230; establish requirements for limited casinos; establish requirements for any track holding a limited casino license; establish requirements for principals of any corporation granted a casino license; create license application requirements for casino, manufacturer's, or supplier's licenses; prohibit anyone not licensed from selling, leasing, or otherwise furnishing gaming supplies; prohibit anyone under the age of 21 from participating in casino gaming; require the Lottery Corporation to determine occupations related to casino gaming that require licensure and establish criteria for occupational licensing; permit the corporation to initiate disciplinary action against applicants and license holders; establish an appeal process; create new sections of KRS Chapter 138 to establish wagering and admissions taxes to be remitted by gaming licensees and full and limited casinos; create new sections of KRS Chapter 154A to establish the casino gaming revenue distribution trust fund and limit that money to the benefit of the state retirement systems for the first ten years; establish the regional tourism and infrastructure development fund and provide criteria for projects seeking money from the fund; waive 15 U.S.C. secs. 1172, 1173, and 1174 for devices authorized by this Act; require the corporation to promulgate administrative

regulations to define and limit games and devices permitted for gaming in casinos; provide guidelines for exclusion or ejection of certain persons; define “cheat” and provide penalties for those who cheat at casino games; amend KRS 243.500 to exempt limited or full casino gaming; amend KRS 525.090 to exempt persons engaged in casino gaming; amend KRS 528.010 to exempt gambling activity and devices licensed under KRS Chapter 154A; amend KRS 528.020 to conform; amend KRS 528.070 to exempt activity licensed under KRS Chapter 154A; amend KRS 528.080 to exempt those with the appropriate license required under KRS Chapter 154A; amend KRS 528.100 to exempt limited or full casino gaming licensed under KRS Chapter 154A; APPROPRIATION; EFFECTIVE DATE DELAYED.

May 08, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB8 (BR83) - R. Rothenburger, M. Hart, L. Bechler, D. Bentley, A. Bowling, D. Elliott, D. Frazier, C. Fugate, R. Goforth, D. Hale, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, C. Massey, K. Moser, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, S. Santoro, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, N. Tate, W. Thomas, K. Upchurch

AN ACT relating to ground ambulance service providers and making an appropriation therefor.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 205 to define terms; establish the Medicaid ground ambulance service provider assessment; require ground ambulance service providers to pay a Medicaid ambulance service provider assessment quarterly; authorize the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to promulgate administrative regulations necessary to implement the Medicaid ground ambulance service provider assessment; create the ambulance service assessment revenue fund; APPROPRIATION.

May 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 22, 2020 - recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee

HB9 (BR27) - A. Scott, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, K. Flood, J. Glenn, D. Graham, J. Graviss, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, J. Raymond, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to historical instruction.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 158 to require African history instruction in certain middle and high school world history and civilization courses; require Native American history instruction in certain middle and high school United States history courses; require the Kentucky Board of Education to promulgate administrative regulations establishing academic standards for the required historical instructions; require local school boards to adopt curricula for required instruction; require the Department of Education to collaborate with the Kentucky African American Heritage and the Kentucky Native American Heritage Commission to develop recommended curricula and instruction guidelines for the required historical instruction, elective high school course offerings in African history and Native American history, and relevant professional development materials.

May 10, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB10 (BR79) - A. Scott, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, K. Flood, J. Glenn, R. Meeks

AN ACT relating to the investigation of a shooting or deadly incident by a law enforcement officer.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 15A to provide definitions and establish an Officer Shooting Review Board to investigate any shooting of an individual by a law enforcement officer or officers or any deadly incident involving law enforcement; set requirements for board members; provide duties of the board; specify requirements related to investigatory work performed by the Kentucky State Police Critical Incident Response Team on behalf of the board; establish investigatory procedures and protocols; provide requirements for submission of the board’s report to the Commonwealth's attorney of the jurisdiction in which the shooting or deadly incident took place or to the Attorney General; provide requirements for independent investigation of any shooting of an individual by a law enforcement officer or officers or any deadly incident involving law enforcement.

May 23, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB11 (BR7) - D. Bentley, J. Blanton, C. Fugate, J. Jenkins, C. Massey, M. Prunty

AN ACT relating to voluntary non-opioid directives.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 218A to define terms and to establish a voluntary non-opioid directive form to inform practitioners that an opioid drug shall not be prescribed, ordered, or administered to a patient who has filed the form with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; amend KRS 218A.172 to require a practitioner to determine if a patient has filed a voluntary non-opioid directive and to provide the patient with a copy of the form prior to prescribing an opioid drug; amend KRS 218A.202 to establish that the electronic monitoring system established in this section shall permit the cabinet to report and document receipt of a voluntary non-opioid directive and to permit a practitioner to determine if a patient has filed a voluntary non-opioid directive.

Jun 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB12 (BR105)/HM - D. Bentley, S. Sheldon, K. Banta, J. Blanton, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, A. Bowling, T. Branham Clark, K. Bratcher, R. Brenda, R. Bridges, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, D. Elliott, J. Fischer, K. Flood, D. Frazier, C. Fugate, A. Gentry, J. Glenn, D. Graham, J. Graviss, D. Hale, C. Harris, M. Hart, A. Hatton, R. Heath, K. Hinkle, C. Howard, R. Huff, T. Huff, J. Jenkins, K. King, M. Koch, N. Kulkarni, S. Lee, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, M. Marzian, C. Massey, B. McCool, R. Meeks, R. Meyer, C. Miller, P. Minter, K. Moser, J. Nemes, R. Palumbo, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, R. Rand, J. Raymond, B. Reed, S. Riley, R. Rothenburger, S. Rudy, D. Schamore, A. Scott, J. Sims Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, J. Stewart III, W. Stone, A. Tackett Laferty, N. Tate, W. Thomas, J. Tipton, K. Upchurch, R. Webber, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to prescription insulin.
Amend KRS 304-17A.148 to cap the cost sharing requirements for prescription insulin at $100 per 30 day supply; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

HB12 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions; establish new provisions to exempt certain self-insured governmental plans; amend KRS 18A.225 to require the Kentucky Employee Health Plan to comply; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.
HFA1(S. Sheldon) - Prohibit an insurer from increasing cost-sharing requirements as a result of the provisions of this Act.

Jun 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 28, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 19, 2020; floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 19, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 92-0 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendment (1)

HB13 (BR113) - J. Nemes, L. Bechler, J. Blanton, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, T. Branham Clark, R. Brenda, M. Cantrell, A. Gentry, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, C. Massey, K. Moser, D. Schamore

AN ACT relating to call centers.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 337 to require an employer intending to relocate a call center from Kentucky to a foreign country to notify the secretary of the Labor Cabinet at least 120 days prior to such relocation; require the secretary to compile a list of employers that have relocated a call center to a foreign country; amend KRS 337.990 to create a civil penalty of not more than $1,000 for each violation; provide short title.

Jun 06, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB14 (BR82) - R. Rothenburger, M. Hart, D. Bentley, A. Bowling, R. Brenda, C. Fugate, J. Jenkins, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, C. Massey, M. Prunty, S. Santoro, D. Schamore, S. Sheldon

AN ACT relating to tuition benefits and making an appropriation therefor.
Amend KRS 164.2841, relating to college tuition benefits for spouses and children of specified emergency response personnel and public employees who have died in the course of their duties to specify that the beneficiary is eligible for up to a maximum of 128 credit hours of undergraduate instruction; amend KRS 164.2842, relating to college tuition benefits for spouses and children of specified emergency response personnel and public employees who have been totally and permanently disabled in the course of their duties to specify that the beneficiary is eligible for up to a maximum of 128 credit hours of undergraduate instruction.

HB14 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions of the bill, but remove maximum credit hour limitation in Section 1; make technical changes in Section 2.

Jun 10, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 17, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 21, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 23, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 24, 2020
Jan 24, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 88-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 27, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Education (S)

HB15 (BR133)/CI/LM - R. Huff

AN ACT relating to road safety.
Amend KRS 512.070 to include, as criminal littering, permitting unsafe amounts of mowed grass to remain on a highway.

Jun 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee

HB16 (BR139) - K. King, R. Bridges, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to assistance dogs.
Amend KRS 258.500 to prohibit the misrepresentation of assistance dogs; allow peace officers to investigate; amend KRS 258.991 to conform and to remove outdated references.

Jun 14, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee

HB17 (BR85) - C. Massey, K. Banta, L. Bechler, D. Bentley, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, T. Branham Clark, K. Bratcher, R. Brenda, J. Donohue, D. Frazier, A. Gentry, J. Gooch Jr., D. Graham, A. Hatton, R. Heath, S. Heavrin, R. Huff, M. Koch, A. Koenig, N. Kulkarni, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, S. Maddox, B. McCool, S. Miles, P. Minter, K. Moser, J. Nemes, R. Palumbo, J. Petrie, M. Prunty, B. Reed, S. Riley, R. Rothenburger, B. Rowland, S. Rudy, D. Schamore, A. Scott, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, M. Sorolis, J. Stewart III, W. Stone, N. Tate, W. Thomas, J. Tipton, K. Upchurch, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to the Honor and Remember flag.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to designate the Honor and Remember flag as the state's emblem of the service and sacrifice of the brave men and women of the United States Armed Forces who have given their lives in the line of duty; specify locations, dates, and circumstances under which the flag may be displayed.

Jun 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)

Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee

Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020

Jan 24, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 87-0

Jan 27, 2020 - received in Senate

Jan 29, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB18 (BR45)/LM - J. Nemes

AN ACT relating to fire districts.

Amend KRS 75.040 to deem that emergency ambulance service provided by a fire protection district, volunteer fire department district, or subdistrict, is the primary emergency ambulance service within the district or subdistrict in the boundaries of the county containing the largest population within the district boundaries; add a method for boards of trustees to declare that the district or subdistrict is not the primary provider of emergency ambulance service within the district; declare status for secondary providers of emergency ambulance service; require that the additional tax moneys allowed for being a primary provider are no longer allowable; and require local governments providing secondary emergency ambulance service within the district or subdistrict within the boundaries of the county containing the largest population within the district boundaries to credit the amount of taxes paid by taxpayers of the district or subdistrict for emergency ambulance service to the taxes owed to the local government by the taxpayer.

HB18 - AMENDMENTS

HCS1/LM - Retain original provisions of the bill, except delete subparagraph 4. of paragraph (b) of subsection (1) dealing with the offset of taxes charged by a local government having a primary provider of EMS services within its boundaries.

HFA1(D. Osborne) - Amend Section 1 to not charge that portion of a fire district tax that is attributable to the provision of ambulance services if the fire district serves an area that is also served by an ambulance service district operating under KRS Chapter 108 unless the respective boards agree otherwise; amend KRS 75.015 relating to fire protection subdistricts to not charge that portion of a fire subdistrict tax that is attributable to the provision of ambulance services if the fire subdistrict serves an area that is also served by an ambulance service district operating under KRS Chapter 108 unless the respective boards agree otherwise; make conforming amendments.

Jun 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Local Government (H)

Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee

Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)

Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020

Feb 04, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute

Feb 06, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 88-0 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendment (1)

Feb 07, 2020 - received in Senate

Feb 10, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB19 (BR181) - B. Rowland, B. Reed, D. Bentley, J. Blanton, R. Bridges, J. Carney, L. Elkins, D. Elliott, C. Freeland, R. Goforth, M. Hart, R. Huff, T. Huff, K. King, S. Lee, D. Lewis, C. Massey, B. McCool, D. Meade , M. Meredith, J. Miller, P. Pratt, S. Riley, D. Schamore, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, N. Tate, W. Thomas, T. Turner, K. Upchurch, R. Webber

AN ACT relating to time.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to adopt year-round daylight saving time in the state of Kentucky if authorized by the United States Congress; EFFECTIVE upon the first Sunday of November following passage of enabling legislation by Congress.

Jul 01, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)

Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee

HB20 (BR31) - D. Lewis, J. Blanton, T. Bojanowski, A. Bowling, C. Fugate, J. Graviss, A. Hatton, R. Huff, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, S. Lewis, C. Massey, P. Minter, D. Schamore, M. Sorolis, J. Stewart III

AN ACT relating to teachers and making an appropriation therefor.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 164 to define terms; establish a student loan forgiveness program for STEM teachers employed at a public school district within a federally designated promise zone; authorize the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority to promulgate administrative regulations to administer the program; create the STEM teacher promise zone scholarship fund; APPROPRIATION.

HB20 - AMENDMENTS

HCS1/FN - Retain original provisions; allow special education teachers to qualify; establish a five year term for the program; APPROPRIATION.

Jul 02, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee

Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)

Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB21 (BR180) - P. Minter, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, T. Branham Clark, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, K. Flood, A. Gentry, J. Glenn, D. Graham, J. Graviss, C. Harris, A. Hatton, K. Hinkle, C. Howard, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, R. Meyer, C. Miller, R. Palumbo, R. Rand, J. Raymond, D. Schamore, A. Scott, J. Sims Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, W. Stone, A. Tackett Laferty, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to mandatory benefits for health benefit plans.

Amend KRS 304.17A-200 to extend health-status eligibility rules to individual and employer-organized association markets; authorize insurance commissioner to designate additional health status-related factors; prohibit adjustment of premium or contribution amounts for group health benefit plans on the basis of genetic information; amend KRS 304.17A-220 to remove requirements relating to preexisting condition exclusions; repeal and reenact KRS 304.17A-230 to define "preexisting condition exclusion"; prohibit health benefit plans in any market from imposing any preexisting condition exclusion; amend KRS 304.17A-155, 304.17A-250, 304.17A-430, 304.17A-706, 304.17B-001, 304.17B-019, and 304.18-114 to conform; provide that provisions of Act apply to all health benefit plans issued or renewed on or after January 1, 2021; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Jul 03, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB22 (BR120) - S. Riley, K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, R. Brenda, D. Graham, J. Jenkins, M. Marzian, P. Minter, K. Moser, J. Nemes, M. Prunty, J. Raymond, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to corporal punishment in schools.

Create a new section of KRS 158.440 to 158.449 to define "corporal punishment"; prohibit a person employed by a school district from using corporal physical discipline; amend KRS 158.444 to remove corporal punishment as a form of discipline in a school; amend KRS 503.110 to remove the exception that permitted the use of physical force by a teacher against a minor.

Jul 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

Jan 30, 2020 - posted in committee

Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

Feb 05, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020

Feb 07, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 65-17

Feb 10, 2020 - received in Senate

Feb 12, 2020 - to Education (S)

HB23 (BR127)/LM - K. Bratcher, C. Massey

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 170 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to exemptions from taxation.

Propose to amend Section 170 of the Constitution of Kentucky to exempt certain veterans' organizations from property taxation; provide ballot question with proposed amendment; submit to voters for ratification or rejection.

Jul 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB24 (BR125)/FN - M. Meredith, C. Fugate, M. Hart, C. Massey, P. Minter, J. Petrie, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, B. Reed, S. Riley, B. Rowland, D. Schamore, S. Sheldon, W. Stone, W. Thomas, K. Upchurch

AN ACT relating to the Bowling Green Veterans Center, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.

Appropriate to the Department of Veterans' Affairs $2,500,000 from the General Fund in fiscal year 2019-2020 for design and preconstruction costs for the Bowling Green Veterans Center; stipulate that appropriations in this Act shall be paid from the General Fund Surplus Account or the Budget Reserve Trust Fund Account; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.

Jul 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

Jan 14, 2020 - posted in committee

Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 24, 2020

Jan 27, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 90-0

Jan 28, 2020 - received in Senate

Jan 30, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)

Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

Feb 10, 2020 - recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

HB25 (BR61) - A. Scott, M. Marzian, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, T. Branham

Clark, G. Brown Jr, K. Flood, J. Glenn, D. Graham, J. Graviss, K. Hinkle, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, R. Meeks, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to public charter schools.
Amend KRS 156.095 and KRS 158.4416 to remove references to public charter schools; repeal KRS 160.1590, 160.1591, 160.1592, 160.1593, 160.1594, 160.1595, 160.1596, 160.1597, 160.1598, 160.1599, and 161.141.

Jul 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB26 (BR107) - A. Scott, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, M. Cantrell, J. Glenn, D. Graham, A. Hatton, K. Hinkle, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, P. Minter, J. Raymond, D. Schamore, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to an exemption of feminine hygiene products from sales and use taxation.
Amend KRS 139.010 to define feminine hygiene products; amend KRS 139.480 to exempt from sales and use tax the sale or purchase of feminine hygiene products; apply to sales or purchases made after August 1, 2020, but before August 1, 2024; require Department of Revenue to report to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue the amount of exemptions claimed.

Jul 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB27 (BR160) - K. Bratcher, T. Bojanowski, T. Branham Clark, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, J. DuPlessis, C. Freeland, A. Gentry, J. Graviss, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, C. Massey, J. Miller, M. Prunty, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, A. Tackett Laferty, W. Thomas, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to state symbols.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to name and designate as the official pets of Kentucky domestic cats and dogs that reside in or have been adopted from Kentucky animal shelters or rescue organizations.

Jul 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 22, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 90-2
Jan 23, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB28 (BR36) - J. Sims Jr
Jan 21-WITHDRAWN

HB29 (BR121) - S. Riley, C. Massey, M. Prunty

AN ACT relating to long-term care administrators.
Amend KRS 216A.070 to extend temporary permits from a period not to exceed 6 months to 9 months.

Jul 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 22, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 90-0
Jan 23, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

HB30 (BR126) - J. Raymond, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, K. Flood, D. Graham, J. Graviss, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to bullying.
Amend KRS 158.148 to include incidents that occur at non-school-sponsored events or through the use of technology in the definition of bullying; require a school district's code of acceptable behavior to include notification procedures for parents in situations of alleged bullying; require the school district's code of acceptable behavior to include procedures for restoring a student's sense of safety.

Jul 22, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB31 (BR187)/CI/LM - C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, N. Kulkarni, R. Meeks, A. Scott

AN ACT relating to carrying concealed weapons.
Repeal KRS 237.109, which provides authorization to carry concealed deadly weapons without a license; amend KRS 527.020 and 237.115 to conform.

Jul 22, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB32 (BR32)/FN - J. Miller, D. Bentley, J. DuPlessis, J. Graviss, M. Koch, A. Koenig, C. Massey, K. Moser, R. Palumbo

AN ACT relating to the taxation of tobacco products.
Amend KRS 138.130 to define terms; amend KRS 138.140 to impose an excise tax on vapor products; amend KRS 138.143 to impose a floor stock tax; EFFECTIVE 11:59 p.m. on July 31, 2020.

HB32 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/FN - Amend KRS 138.130 to define terms; amend KRS 138.140 to impose an excise tax on vapor products and to increase tax on other tobacco products; amend KRS 138.143 to impose a floor stock tax; EFFECTIVE 11:59 p.m. on July 31, 2020.

Aug 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Jan 14, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

HB33 (BR231) - A. Scott, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, J. Donohue, J. Glenn, D. Graham, J. Graviss, J. Jenkins, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, P. Minter, J. Raymond, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to discriminatory practices against a person.
Amend KRS 344.010 to provide definitions of "protective hairstyle" and "race" that include traits historically associated with race.

Jul 26, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB34 (BR136)/FN/LM - R. Goforth, L. Bechler, D. Bentley, A. Bowling, K. Bratcher, R. Brenda, J. Donohue, M. Dossett, J. Graviss, D. Hale, M. Hart, T. Huff, R. Meeks, J. Nemes, R. Rothenburger, S. Sheldon, J. Stewart III, W. Stone, N. Tate, J. Tipton, R. Webber, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to school bus safety and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 160 to define "owner," "recorded images," "school bus stop arm camera," and "third party designee"; create a new section of KRS Chapter 160 to require each local school district to install and maintain school bus stop arm cameras on daily route school buses by August 1, 2023; allow districts to contract for purchase and maintenance of cameras; allow districts to contract for the processing of an alleged violation of KRS 189.370(1); require school districts to establish procedures or contract with a third-party designee prior to utilizing school bus stop arm cameras; provide an emergency exception to the stop arm requirement; permit school districts with a population density equal to or less than 100% of the state average to apply for special permission to suspend the stop arm requirement for up to five years; establish requirements for school districts granted special permission to suspend the stop arm requirement; require the Kentucky Board of Education to promulgate administrative regulations; create a new section of KRS Chapter 160 to establish annual on-site compliance inspections for school districts and penalties for noncompliance; create a new section of KRS Chapter 174 to define "'owner," "school bus stop arm camera", and "third-party designee"; require the Transportation Cabinet or third-party designee to review images for violations of KRS 189.370(1) recorded by school bus stop arm cameras after July 1, 2021, and issue civil citations for violations; establish civil penalties for a violation of KRS 189.370 recorded by a school bus stop arm camera after July 1, 2021; require the Transportation Cabinet to adopt a uniform civil citation form and establish the form's minimum contents; establish notification requirements; require a recipient of a uniform civil citation to pay civil penalty or submit proof of a criminal citation or appeal the uniform civil citation to the Transportation Cabinet within 30 days; grant the Transportation Cabinet appellate powers and authority; establish potential defenses the Transportation Cabinet may consider for uniform civil citations; allow for suspension of registration for failure to pay a fine, require third- party designee to notify the Transportation Cabinet of the need to release a suspension within 1 business day of payment; appropriate 80 percent of funds collected by the Transportation Cabinet for a uniform civil citation to the school district; allow a third-party designee to keep up to 80 percent of funds but no more than $160 per civil penalty collected by a third party designee; appropriate 10 percent of all funds collected from a uniform civil citation to the Kentucky Department of Education; appropriate 10 percent of all funds collected from a uniform civil citation to the Transportation Cabinet; appropriate any remaining funds collected by a third party designee to the local school district; provide that a uniform civil citation shall not result in points against a driving record; require the Transportation Cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations necessary to effectuate the purpose of administering stop arm camera use, enforcement, and calibration; amend KRS 189.990 to appropriate 80 percent of funds collected from criminal fines levied by law enforcement for violation of KRS 189.370 to the local school district, 10 percent to the Kentucky Department of Education, and 10 percent to local law enforcement.

HB34 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/LM - Retain all original provisions except remove the requirement that each local school district install and maintain school bus stop arm cameras on all daily route buses; permit a local school district to install and maintain school bus stop arm cameras; increase the civil penalty for a first offense from $200 to $300; grant third-party designees the powers and authority to hear a contest to a civil penalty; establish minimum procedural requirements for a contest to a civil penalty; increase the maximum amount a third-party designee may keep from $160 to $240 per civil penalty collected by the third-party designee; require the Transportation Cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations for procedures to contest to a uniform civil citation; amend KRS 189.990 to increase the maximum fine for a first offense of illegally passing a school bus from $200 to $300.
HFA1(R. Goforth) - Retain all original provisions except permit the Transportation Cabinet to contract with a third-party for the processing and enforcement of stop arm camera violations; require notice of a uniform civil citation for a stop arm camera violation to be sent by certified mail; increase the time to pay a civil penalty

for a stop arm camera violation from 30 days to 60 days; prohibit the cabinet from entertaining a contest to or defending an appeal of a uniform civil citation issued by a third-party designee; permit an appeal of a contest to a uniform civil citation to be brought in the District Court of the county of the offense instead of Franklin Circuit Court; reduce the percentage a school district receives from a civil penalty collected by the cabinet for a stop arm camera violation from 80% to 10%; increase the percentage the cabinet receives from a civil penalty collected by the cabinet for a stop arm camera violation from 10% to 80%.

Aug 01, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Transportation (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 28, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 29, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 05, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 06, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 86-5 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendment (1)
Feb 07, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

HB35 (BR215)/FN - R. Huff, D. Bentley, J. Blanton, T. Bojanowski, T. Branham Clark, K. Bratcher, R. Brenda, M. Dossett, J. Graviss, D. Hale, C. Harris, M. Hart, J. Jenkins, K. King, N. Kulkarni, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, C. Massey, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, S. Riley, R. Rothenburger, B. Rowland, D. Schamore, J. Stewart III, W. Thomas

AN ACT relating to the taxation of pension income, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 141.019 to increase the pension income exclusion from $31,110 to $41,110; apply retroactively for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2018; require the Department of Revenue to automatically issue refunds; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.

Aug 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB36 (BR247)/FN/LM - M. Koch, J. Blanton, K. Bratcher, D. Frazier, C. Fugate, J. Glenn, J. Graviss, M. Hart, K. Hinkle, S. Lewis, C. Massey, B. McCool, R. Palumbo, R. Rothenburger, D. Schamore, S. Sheldon, B. Wheatley, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to property taxes for veteran service organizations.
Create a new section in KRS Chapter 132 to exempt veteran service organizations from ad valorem taxation if over fifty percent of the organization's annual net income is expended on behalf of veterans and other charitable causes; amend KRS 132.010 to define veteran service organization; apply to property assessed on or after January 1, 2021.

Aug 16, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)
Jan 09, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 16, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB37 (BR203)/FN - M. Hart, T. Bojanowski, T. Branham Clark, C. Howard, R. Palumbo, M. Prunty, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to arts education.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 158 to require schools to offer all students instruction in the visual and performing arts, submit an annual report to the Department of Education, and implement school policies regarding visual and performing arts instruction; require the Department of Education to develop visual and performing arts program standards, guidelines on model programs, and strategies and initiatives for meeting the requirements of the section; require the Department of Education to provide resources, assessment tools, and a reporting checklist to schools; require the Department of Education to report to the Interim Joint Committee on Education by December 1, 2021, on the status of schools meeting the requirements of this section; amend KRS 158.6453 to require the school profile report to be included in the school report card and require the visual and performing arts program data to be included in the school profile report; amend KRS 160.345 and 158.153 to conform; cite the Act as the Arts Education Equity Act.

HB37 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions, except specify school programs shall be provided in accordance with visual and performing arts standards; require middle schools to offer at least one (1) visual and performing arts course each year; prohibit embedding or integrating arts instruction in non-visual and performing arts courses to substantially meet the program requirements; delete provisions regarding arts policy adopted by school councils.
HFA1(M. Hart) - Clarify elementary schools shall provide visual and performing arts instruction; require 100 minutes of instruction per week or an equivalent amount for a non-traditional schedule.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 28, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 29, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 30, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 31, 2020
Feb 07, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 13, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 73-16 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendment (1)
Feb 14, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Education (S)

HB38 (BR233) - A. Scott, T. Bojanowski, J. Jenkins, M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to cosmetic services.
Amend KRS 317A.155 to permit a cosmetologist, esthetician, or nail technician to operate outside of a licensed establishment for persons with physical mobility limitations, as attested by a physician in writing, or for persons residing in a long-term care nursing facility or assisted living facility.

Aug 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB39 (BR237) - K. Hinkle, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, J. Donohue, D. Graham, J. Graviss, C. Harris, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, P. Minter, J. Raymond, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to wages.
Amend KRS 337.010 to increase the applicable threshold of employees of retail stores and service industries from $95,000 to $500,000 average annual gross volume of sales for the employer; amend KRS 337.275 to raise the state minimum wage to $8.20 per hour on July 1, 2020, $9.15 per hour on July 1, 2021, $10.10 per hour on July 1, 2022, $11 per hour on July 1, 2023, $12.05 per hour on July 1, 2024, $13.10 per hour on July 1, 2025, $13.95 per hour on July 1, 2026, and $15 per hour on July 1, 2027, and to raise the state minimum wage for tipped employees to $2.13 per hour on the effective date of the Act, $3.05 per hour on July 1, 2021, $3.95 per hour on July 1, 2022, and $4.90 per hour on July 1, 2023; include anti-preemption language permitting local governments to establish minimum wage ordinances in excess of the state minimum wage.

Aug 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB40 (BR263) - B. McCool, D. Bentley, T. Bojanowski, M. Cantrell, J. DuPlessis, A. Gentry, C. Harris, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, R. Meeks, D. Schamore, B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to wage theft.
Create a new section of Chapter 514 to create the offense of theft of wages and establish penalties; define employer and employee; amend KRS 336.080 to indicate the secretary may enter places of employment without unreasonable delay to inspect a place of employment; amend KRS 337.020 to allow the commissioner to charge and collect past due wages; amend KRS 337.070 to require certain employers to include rate of pay, the number of hours worked, and the total amount of gross pay earned on wage statements provided to employees; amend KRS 337.320 to require employers to keep record for three years of the name, address, and occupation of each employee, the rate of pay and amount paid to each employee, a list of personnel policies provided to the employees, and a copy of the wage statement provided to each employee; create a new section of Chapter 337 to require employers to provide to an employee a written notice at the time of hire that sets forth the rate and method of pay, the employees employment status, accruals of time, deductions that may be made from pay, and the name and address of the employer, and require the employer to keep a copy of the notice signed by the employee; amend KRS 337.990 to include a civil penalty for failure to provide the written notice to employee and maintain a copy of the signed notice.

Aug 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 17, 2020 - posted in committee

HB41 (BR334) - J. Raymond, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, K. Flood, D. Graham, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, C. Miller, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, A. Tackett Laferty, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to full-day kindergarten.
Amend KRS 158.060 to remove language that allows for half-day kindergarten programs; amend KRS 157.320, 157.360, and 158.030 to conform.

Aug 23, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB42 (BR339)/FN - G. Brown Jr, C. Booker, D. Graham, N. Kulkarni, R. Meeks, A. Scott

AN ACT relating to the rural hospital tax credit.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to establish the rural hospital organization donation tax credit; amend KRS 141.0205 to order the new tax credit; amend KRS 131.190 to allow reporting by the Department of Revenue.

Aug 27, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB43 (BR343)/LM - G. Brown Jr, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, D. Graham, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, R. Meeks, A. Scott

AN ACT relating to criminal histories of job applicants.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 344 to prohibit employers from considering or requiring disclosure of prior criminal history as part of the initial job application; title the Act "Ban the Box - The Criminal Record Employment Discrimination Act."

Aug 27, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB44 (BR204)/CI/LM - J. Gooch Jr., A. Bowling, R. Bridges, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to key infrastructure assets.

Amend KRS 511.100 to change the definition of "key infrastructure assets" to specify that natural gas or petroleum pipelines are the type of pipelines covered in the definition and include other types of infrastructure assets; amend KRS 512.020 to include tampering with, impeding, or inhibiting operations of a key infrastructure asset in the offense of criminal mischief in the first degree; create a new section of KRS 411 that a civil action may be maintained against a person that compensates or remunerates a person to violate KRS 512.020 and the compensated person is convicted of criminal mischief in the first degree.

HB44 - AMENDMENTS

HCA1(J. Gooch Jr.) - Make title amendment.

HFA1(J. Gooch Jr.) - Amend Section 1 to delete steelmaking facilities using an electric arc furnace and facilities regulated by the United States Department of Homeland Security Chemical Facility Anti-Terrorism Standards program from the definition of "key infrastructure assets"; amend Section 2 to clarify that the offense of criminal mischief in the first degree shall include tampering with a key infrastructure asset in a manner that renders the operations harmful or dangerous; amend Section 3 to clarify that a civil action may be maintained against any person that knowingly directs or causes a person to violate subsection (1)(b) of Section 2 and that liability may include punitive damages and court costs.

Aug 29, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Natural Resources & Energy (H)

Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee

Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with committee amendment (1-title)

Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

Feb 05, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed

Feb 06, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 7, 2020

Feb 10, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 71-17 with floor amendment (1) and committee amendment (1-title)

Feb 11, 2020 - received in Senate

Feb 13, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (S)

HB45 (BR342)/CI/LM - G. Brown Jr, C. Booker, K. Flood, N. Kulkarni, R. Meeks, A. Scott

AN ACT relating to firearms and declaring an emergency.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 237 to specify definitions for "assault weapons," "large-capacity ammunition-feeding devices," and "ammunition sellers"; require background checks for private firearms sales; require reporting to law enforcement of firearm and ammunition thefts and losses; require the safe storage of firearms; amend KRS 395.250 to require an estate's inventory to list each firearm; amend KRS 403.735 to require judges, when issuing an order of protection, to consider whether a person against whom the order is entered should be prohibited from possessing an firearm; amend KRS 504.030 to require judges in criminal cases where a person is found not guilty by reason of insanity to demand the surrender of the defendant's firearms; amend KRS 237.104 to conform; amend KRS 506.080 to specify that the offense of facilitation includes assistance in providing firearms; amend KRS 508.020 to include physical injury to a minor by virtue of the intentional discharge of a firearm within the offense of assault in the second degree; create a new section of KRS Chapter 527 to create the offense of criminal purchase or disposal of a weapon; amend KRS 527.040 to require that the sentence for a felon in possession of a firearm be served subsequent to any other felony sentence; amend KRS 527.070 to include postsecondary education facilities within the existing ban on firearms in schools; amend KRS 532.030 to require the judge pronouncing a defendant guilty but mentally ill to demand the surrender of the person's firearms; create a new section of KRS Chapter 237 to require the State Police to promulgate administrative regulations relating to the licensing of persons to possess handguns and assault weapons, the registration of handguns and assault weapons, and the logging of firearms and ammunition sales effective January 1, 2021; amend KRS 532.025 to conform; amend KRS 237.115 to conform; repeal KRS 65.870; EMERGENCY; some provisions EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Sep 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB46 (BR179)/FN - J. Miller, T. Bojanowski, R. Brenda, T. Burch, M. Dossett, D. Graham, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni

AN ACT relating to the promotion of living donor human organ and bone marrow donation.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 18A to allow full-time employees of the Commonwealth of Kentucky a paid leave of absence of 240 hours for donating a human organ and 40 hours for donating bone marrow and to set requirements for the paid leave of absence; amend KRS 141.010 to define "human organ" and "qualified organ donation expenses"; amend KRS 18A.025 and 18A.110 to conform; amend KRS 141.019 to allow a tax deduction in an amount equal to the qualified organ donation expenses incurred by a taxpayer up to $10,000 and require reporting by the Department of Revenue; amend KRS 131.190 to allow the Kentucky Department of Revenue to report organ donation tax deduction data to the Legislative Research Commission.

Sep 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)

Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee

Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020

Jan 22, 2020 - taken from the Regular Orders of the Day; recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB47 (BR143)/CI/LM - L. Bechler, J. Miller

AN ACT relating to child abuse and declaring an emergency.

Amend KRS 500.050 to remove the five-year statute of limitations for misdemeanor sex offenses against minors and allow prosecution to be commenced at any time; amend KRS 413.249 to remove the ten-year statute of limitations for civil actions arising from childhood sexual assault or abuse and allow a suit to be commenced at any time; amend KRS 620.030, relating to the requirement to report child abuse, to limit the clergy-penitent exemption and make any person who intentionally fails to report guilty of a Class D felony; amend KRS 620.050, relating to the reporting of child abuse, to limit the clergy-penitent exemption; provide for severability; EMERGENCY.

Sep 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee

HB48 (BR355)/FN - J. Donohue, G. Brown Jr, N. Kulkarni

AN ACT relating to tax credits for airport noise mitigation.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to establish a refundable income tax credit for the costs of mitigating noise from a commercial airport for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2020, but before January 1, 2024; amend KRS 131.190 to conform; amend KRS 141.0205 to order the credit.

Sep 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB49 (BR356) - J. Donohue, J. Graviss

AN ACT relating to the sale or transfer of historic places.

Amend KRS 171.382 to require the Finance and Administration Cabinet to give notice to the Kentucky Heritage Council 90 days prior to the transfer or sale of a property nominated by the Kentucky Historic Preservation Review Board to be listed on the National Register of Historic Places; require the Kentucky Heritage Council to consult with the Finance and Administration Cabinet regarding the property's historic, cultural, and archeological resources; require the Kentucky Heritage Council to make a written recommendation to the Finance and Administration Cabinet on whether the property should have a preservation easement; if a preservation easement is recommended, no sale or transfer of the property shall take place until the easement is listed on the deed; amend KRS 82.660 to update council name.

Sep 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB50 (BR357) - J. Donohue, J. Jenkins

AN ACT relating to education.

Amend KRS 158.785, relating to the management of local school districts, to include criteria to review when completing a management audit; require the chief state school officer to provide a local district with written deficiencies found through the management audit and corrective actions and a time frame for completion in order to exit assistance; specify that a district can only be a "state managed district" after at least two years of unsuccessful assistance, criminal malfeasance, or insolvency; restrict the chief state school officer's authority during state management to only those specific items found through the management audit; amend KRS 156.029 to require the Kentucky Board of Education to include two at-large members who are current or retired elementary or secondary teachers; amend KRS 156.040 to clarify that a state board member cannot hold any elective federal, state, county, or city office.

Sep 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB51 (BR240)/LM - L. Bechler, B. Reed, D. Bentley, M. Dossett, J. Fischer, C. Fugate, R. Goforth, D. Hale, R. Heath, R. Huff, T. Huff, K. King, C. Massey, B. McCool, M. Prunty, S. Santoro, N. Tate, W. Thomas, T. Turner, K. Upchurch, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to compliance with state and federal law.

Amend KRS 65.133 to require local law enforcement agencies and Kentucky State Police to enforce immigration laws; create a new section of KRS Chapter 65 to define terms, including "sanctuary" and "sanctuary policy"; prohibit local governments from adopting sanctuary policies; establish hearing procedures for determination of sanctuary status; provide for the withholding of state funding from sanctuaries; create new sections of KRS Chapter 164 to prohibit postsecondary educational institutions from enrolling employing or contracting with illegal aliens; require postsecondary educational institutions to keep records of immigration status; provide for the withholding of state funding from postsecondary educational institutions that enroll, employ, or contract with illegal aliens; limit who may be considered a Kentucky resident for in-state tuition purposes; EFFECTIVE in part January 1, 2021.

Sep 10, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Local Government (H)

Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee

HB52 (BR258) - D. Lewis, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to hunting coyotes.

Amend KRS 150.360 to require the

administrative regulations promulgated by the Department of Fish and Wildlife Resources relating to the hunting of coyotes at night to: require hunters to carry a hunting license, unless license-exempt, allow the use of electronic or mouth calls and decoys, specify which weapons may be used, prohibit hunting of coyotes at night on wildlife management areas or during any deer gun or muzzle loading season, prohibit hunting coyotes at any time from a road or motor vehicle; prohibit hunting coyotes at night using white light, and place no bag limit on coyotes; and amend KRS 150.395 to allow the hunting of coyotes at night using only non-white light.

Sep 10, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Tourism & Outdoor Recreation (H)

HB53 (BR72) - M. Prunty, J. Sims Jr, C. Massey, P. Pratt

AN ACT relating to the recognition and registration of professional employer organizations.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 336 to declare that professional employer organizations provide a valuable service to commerce and should be properly recognized and regulated; define "client," "co-employer," "co-employment relationship," "covered employee," "professional employer organization group," "person," "professional employer agreement," "professional employer organization," "professional employer services," "registrant," and "temporary help service"; indicate that covered employees shall be deemed employees of the client for purposes of determining tax credits or economic incentives; require a person providing professional employer services to be registered and to set forth the registration requirements; require professional employer organizations to pay a registration fee; require a professional employer organization to either maintain positive working capital or provide a bond, letter of credit, or security; set forth the rights and responsibilities of parties to a co-employment agreement; set forth the health insurance obligations of professional employer organizations; set forth the workers' compensation requirements of professional employer organizations and the client; set forth the unemployment insurance obligations of the professional employer organization and the client; prohibit a person from knowingly providing professional employer services without becoming registered and set forth actions that may be taken by the Labor Cabinet against any person in violation; amend KRS 336.990 to provide a civil penalty; amend the definition of "premium" in KRS 342.0011 to include co-employment relationships with a professional employer organization; amend KRS 342.990 to delete references to KRS 342.615; repeal KRS 342.615; state that the provisions of this Act are severable.

HB53 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions, except delete provisions regarding coverage with a health benefit plan which is not fully insured by an authorized user.

Sep 10, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - reassigned to Small Business & Information Technology (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 04, 2020 - recommitted to Small Business & Information Technology (H)

HB54 (BR178) - A. Scott, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, J. Jenkins, M. Marzian, J. Raymond

AN ACT relating to taxation.
Amend KRS 139.010 to define "diapers"; amend KRS 139.480 to exempt from sales and use tax the sale or purchase of diapers, breast pumps, and certain baby products; provide that the exemptions apply to sales or purchases made after August 1, 2020, but before August 1, 2024; require the Department of Revenue to report to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue the amount of exemptions claimed.

Sep 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB55 (BR47) - L. Yates, R. Heath, S. Sheldon

AN ACT relating to vacancies in elective office.
Amend KRS 83A.165, 118.115, 118.165, 118.365, 118.375, and 118A.100 to extend by ten calendar days the deadline for filing nomination papers to fill an unexpired term if the vacancy occurs five calendar days or less before the prescribed deadline; amend KRS 118.225 to conform; amend KRS 132.380 to require an examination whenever there is a vacancy in the office of property valuation administrator and to direct that the certificates of any examination shall remain valid for four years.

Sep 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB56 (BR102) - R. Brenda, J. Blanton, D. Elliott, J. Fischer, D. Frazier, R. Goforth, J. Gooch Jr., A. Hatton, R. Heath, K. Hinkle, J. Hoover, T. Huff, M. Koch, S. Lewis, C. Massey, M. Meredith, M. Prunty, S. Riley, R. Rothenburger, D. Schamore, S. Sheldon, C. Stevenson, J. Stewart III, J. Tipton, T. Turner, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to the taxation of certain services.
Amend KRS 139.200 to exclude mowing, fence cleaning, and other pasture maintenance services performed on agricultural or horticultural land for a farmer or retired farmer from landscaping services; EFFECTIVE August 1, 2020.

Sep 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB57 (BR407) - A. Scott, T. Bojanowski, K. Flood, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni

AN ACT relating to providing free feminine hygiene products for women public postsecondary students.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 164 to require each public postsecondary education institution to provide free feminine hygiene products to women students; require the governing boards of each public postsecondary education institution to adopt policies for the distribution of free feminine hygiene products; define feminine hygiene products.

Sep 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB58 (BR252)/FN - W. Thomas

AN ACT relating to the Kentucky Community and Technical College System, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 164 to establish the Kentucky Community and Technical College endowment match fund; transfer $3 million annually to the fund from general fund; authorize promulgation of administrative regulations.

Sep 17, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB59 (BR403) - B. Reed, C. Massey, K. Moser, B. Rowland, D. Schamore, S. Sheldon, N. Tate, W. Thomas, J. Tipton, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to farmer suicide prevention and awareness.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to designate the Wednesday of National Farm Safety Week, which is the third week of September, as "Farmer Suicide Prevention Day".

Sep 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Agriculture (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 7, 2020
Feb 07, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 86-0
Feb 10, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)

HB60 (BR288) - R. Huff, K. Bratcher, C. Massey, S. Sheldon, M. Sorolis, W. Thomas

AN ACT relating to veterinarians.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 321 to require that a veterinarian report suspected animal abuse to an animal control officer; amend KRS 321.185 to allow veterinarians to report suspected animal abuse.

Sep 25, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB61 (BR124) - R. Huff

AN ACT relating to bus safety.
Amend KRS 186.560 to require the Transportation Cabinet to revoke the license of any operator of a motor vehicle for a period of 90 days, upon receiving record of his or her conviction of illegally passing a school or church bus as outlined in KRS 189.370; amend KRS 189.370 to conform.

Sep 25, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Transportation (H)

HB62 (BR450) - A. Scott, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, J. Glenn, D. Graham, R. Meeks, J. Nemes

AN ACT relating to gang violence.
Amend KRS 506.120 to remove language related to "criminal gang syndicate;" repeal KRS 506.135 relating to definitions, KRS 506.140 relating to criminal gang recruitment, KRS 506.150 relating to criminal gang activity or recruitment, 506.160, relating to minimum service of sentence for defendant acting as a member of a criminal gang, KRS 506.170 relating to enhancement of penalty for conviction for criminal gang-related felonies, KRS 506.180 relating to cause of action by victim of criminal gang incident, and KRS 506.190 relating to criminal gang-related property subject to forfeiture; amend KRS 532.080 to conform.

Sep 25, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB63 (BR4) - R. Wiederstein, M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to legislative accountability by providing for the expanded use of cost estimates, a regulatory impact assessment of pending legislation, and the limitation of bill introductions during a regular session.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 6 to define "fiscal note," "machine-readable," and "regulatory burden"; establish requirements for fiscal notes; allow the waiver of the fiscal note requirements; establish responsibilities of the Legislative Research Commission in regard to fiscal notes; allow for the validity of any measure duly passed by the legislature even if fiscal note or bill limit requirements are not met; create a new section of KRS Chapter 6 to establish bill filing limitations for regular sessions and allow exemptions; amend various KRS statutes for technical corrections and conforming changes.

Sep 25, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)

HB64 (BR76) - R. Wiederstein, M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to evidence-based budget allocations by providing for the formation of the Office for Program Evaluation and Quality Assurance within the Office of State Budget Director, the establishment of an evidence-based program inventory, the regular evaluation of state programs, the elimination of ineffective state programs, and the creation of an evaluation officer position within state agencies.

Amend KRS 11.068 to abolish the Governor's Office for Policy Research and to create the Governor's Office for Program Evaluation and Quality Assurance within the Office of State Budget Director; create new sections in KRS Chapter 11 to define terms, require an inventory of evidence-based programs, create the evidence building workgroup, require reporting by the program agencies, and lapse state funding for any program if the program agency does not comply with the reporting requirements; amend KRS 48.110 and 48.180 to conform.

Oct 01, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)

HB65 (BR37)/CI/LM - R. Bridges, D. Bentley, A. Bowling, C. Fugate, J. Graviss, D. Hale, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, C. Massey, C. Miller, B. Reed, S. Riley, S. Santoro, J. Sims Jr

AN ACT relating to crimes against sports officials.

Amend KRS 518.090 to make assault of a sports official a Class D felony; create a new section of KRS Chapter 518 to establish the offense of intimidation of a sports official as a Class A misdemeanor; state that the restrictions of KRS 6.945(1) do not apply.

Oct 01, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee

HB66 (BR212) - R. Huff

AN ACT relating to operating a motor vehicle.

Amend KRS 189.292 to provide that no person shall use a personal communication device or stand-alone electronic device while operating a motor vehicle; set forth exceptions; provide that persons under the age of 18 shall not use a personal communications device while driving, except for emergencies; amend KRS 189.990 to set forth penalties for the violation of KRS 189.292; amend KRS 186.452, 186.454, and 189.2327 to conform; repeal KRS 189.294.

Oct 02, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB67 (BR241) - J. Fischer, S. Maddox, K. Banta, L. Bechler, J. Blanton, K. Bratcher, R. Brenda, D. Elliott, D. Frazier, C. Freeland, C. Fugate, R. Goforth, D. Hale, R. Heath, S. Heavrin, R. Huff, T. Huff, K. King, M. Koch, S. Lee, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, C. Massey, J. Miller, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, B. Reed, R. Rothenburger, S. Santoro, J. Stewart III, N. Tate, W. Thomas, J. Tipton, K. Upchurch, R. Webber

AN ACT proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Kentucky relating to abortion.

Propose to create a new section of the Constitution of Kentucky to state that Kentucky's Constitution does not secure or protect a right to abortion or funding of abortion.

Oct 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee

HB68 (BR300) - R. Wiederstein, M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to adopting the most cost-effective alternative in administrative regulations having a major economic impact on the Kentucky economy.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 13A to establish requirements and procedures for an administrative regulation that constitutes a major economic action; create the Regulatory Economic Analysis Advisory Group to consult on these regulations; set the group's membership, powers, and duties; require a promulgating agency to provide listed documents to the group and the public at least 60 days before filing the regulation; direct an agency to conduct and publish a detailed analysis of any major economic action regulation, including a cost-benefit analysis; establish filing requirements for these regulations; require an agency to publicly provide a framework for assessing the regulation; designate a short title of the "Kentucky Administrative Regulation Accountability Act of 2020"; amend KRS 13A.010 to define a major economic action; amend KRS 13A.030 to add a defective major economic action to the list of reasons a subcommittee may find a regulation deficient; amend KRS 13A.3104 to establish certification letter procedures for a major economic action regulation; stagger the initial terms of the appointed members of the advisory group.

Oct 14, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB69 (BR468) - J. Miller, K. Banta, T. Burch, J. Graviss, C. Massey, K. Moser, R. Palumbo, B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to vapor products.

Amend KRS 438.305 to define "vapor product enhanced cartridge"; create a new section of KRS 438.305 to 438.340 to require a retailer or manufacturer of a vapor product enhanced cartridge to register and pay a $700 annual fee; prohibit sales of vapor product enhanced cartridge other than through in-person purchase; prohibit sales to anyone under 18, require age verification through an electronic third-party source.

HB69 - AMENDMENTS

HCS1 - Revise definition of "vapor product enhanced cartridge" to "enhanced vapor product"; include disposable products in the definition as well as material that may be aerosolized, also include products with a nicotine salt strength in excess of four percent; amend the definition of "tobacco product" to include material suitable for snorting and other over-the-counter nicotine replacement therapy products suitable to be placed in an individual's oral cavity not approved by the Federal Drug Administration, which contains any kind of tobacco or nicotine that may not contain tobacco, and include vapor products; amend Section 2 to reduce the registration fee from $500 to $210, increase age limit from 18 to 21 years old,

HFA1(J. Miller) - Retain original provisions; amend the definition of "enhanced vapor product" by deleting references to psychoactive or mood-altering substances and compounds from the cannabis plant.

HFA2(J. Hoover) - Amend Section 2 to delete prohibition of unaccompanied minors on premises of a retailer or manufacturer of enhanced vapor products.

HFA3(J. Hoover) - Retain original provisions; amend Section 2 to reduce the registration fee from $210 to $100.

HFA4(J. Hoover) - Amend Section 2 to delete provision allowing revocation of a retailer's or manufacturer's registration for a violation.

HFA5(J. Hoover) - Amend definition of "enhanced vapor product"; specify an enhanced vapor product shall not contain vitamin E acetate.

Oct 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

Feb 10, 2020 - posted in committee

Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1); floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute

Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; floor amendments (2), (3) and (4) filed to Committee Substitute

Feb 18, 2020 - floor amendment (5) filed to Committee Substitute

HB70 (BR409)/FN - J. Graviss, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to state employee compensation.

Amend KRS 18A.355 to provide for an annual increment for state employees with the annual increment being the average of the consumer price index for the two calendar years prior to the biennium.

Oct 24, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)

HB71 (BR8) - D. Bentley

AN ACT relating to controlled substances.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 218A to require a practitioner to offer a prescription for naloxone hydrochloride or another drug approved by the Food and Drug Administration for the complete or partial reversal of opioid depression when prescribing an opioid drug and to provide education on overdose prevention and on use of an opioid depression reversal drug; amend KRS 218A.172 to delete reference to Schedule III controlled substances containing hydrocodone and to add issues that a practitioner is required to discuss with a patient prior to prescribing or dispensing a controlled substance to a patient; amend KRS 205.529, 218A.205, and 304.17A-165 to delete reference to Schedule III controlled substances containing hydrocodone.

Oct 24, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB72 (BR9)/HM - D. Bentley, R. Brenda, R. Bridges, M. Dossett, D. Frazier, D. Hale, R. Huff, C. Massey, M. Meredith, R. Meyer

AN ACT relating to prescription drugs.

Amend KRS 304.17A-164 to define "financial assistance" and "generic alternative;" and to require an insurer to apply financial assistance received by an insured toward any cost sharing owed by the insured with certain exceptions; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Oct 24, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Banking & Insurance (H)

Jan 16, 2020 - posted in committee

HB73 (BR78)/LM - R. Wiederstein

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 32 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to terms of members of the General Assembly.

Propose to amend Section 32 of the Constitution of Kentucky to prevent Senators from serving more than three consecutive terms of office, not including partial terms of two years or less, and to prevent members of the House of Representatives from serving more than six consecutive terms of office, not including partial terms of two years or less, beginning with those elected in November 2022; allow legislators to resume service in the house from which they were term-limited after two or more years have elapsed; provide ballot language; submit to voters for ratification or rejection.

Oct 28, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB74 (BR819) - R. Wiederstein, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to patient safety by requiring Kentucky hospitals to annually survey employees regarding patient safety culture and practices with the results to be publicly reported on a Web site maintained by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services.

Create a new section of KRS 216.2920 to 216.2929 to require all

hospitals to annually survey employees on patient safety culture; require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to design, collect, analyze, and publish survey data; list requirements for the survey design; list requirements for the survey content; require the survey design to be completed by October 30, 2020, and the survey results to be made available by June 30 each year beginning with June 30, 2021, on the cabinet's Web site and reported to the Interim Joint Committee on Health, Welfare, and Family Services; permit the cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations to implement the survey requirements.

Oct 29, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB75 (BR66) - R. Wiederstein, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to community healthcare foundations by providing for the approval and oversight of not-for-profit hospital, health maintenance organization, and healthcare insurer conversions, and declaring an emergency.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 367 to provide definitions concerning nonprofit healthcare conversion transactions; provide notification requirements; require the Attorney General to notify a nonprofit healthcare entity regarding the status of a decision; require that the Attorney General to hold public meetings related to the proposed nonprofit healthcare conversion transaction; specify what the Attorney General must consider in determining whether to approve or disapprove a proposed nonprofit healthcare conversion transaction including a requirement that the Attorney General consult with and receive expert advice; require the Attorney General to also determine the impact of the proposed nonprofit healthcare conversion transaction on the affected community; allow the Attorney General to request additional information necessary to complete a review of the proposed nonprofit healthcare conversion transaction; authorize the Attorney General to contract with additional counsel in order to assist in the review of the proposed nonprofit healthcare conversion transaction; specify that the Attorney General is entitled to reimbursement from the nonprofit healthcare entity for certain costs related to review of the proposed transaction; prescribe parameters for public review of documents related to the proposed healthcare conversion transaction; prescribe penalties for a violation of this Act by a nonprofit healthcare entity; specify the applicability of this Act to current law; specify the parameters of this Act; provide that this Act may be cited as the Kentucky Nonprofit Healthcare Conversion Act; amend KRS 386B.4-130 to conform; EMERGENCY.

Oct 30, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB76 (BR835)/CI/LM - N. Kulkarni, G. Brown Jr, M. Marzian, A. Scott

AN ACT relating to firearms possession.
Amend KRS 527.010 to define "domestic abuse offense," "domestic violence protective order," and "physical force"; create a new section of KRS Chapter 527 to create the crimes of possession of a firearm by a convicted domestic abuser and possession of a firearm by the subject of a domestic violence protective order; create a new section of KRS Chapter 527 to require the surrender of firearms by people subject to protective orders or convicted of specified crimes; amend KRS 403.740 and 456.060 to require courts to inform the subject of a domestic violence order or an interpersonal protective order of the firearm possession prohibition.

Oct 30, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB77 (BR323)/LM - N. Kulkarni, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, M. Cantrell, M. Marzian, C. Stevenson, B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to prevailing wage.
Create a prevailing wage law for all public works projects; amend KRS 12.020, 99.480, 227.487, 336.015, 337.010, and 337.990 to conform.

Oct 30, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB78 (BR431)/CI/LM - M. Sorolis, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, K. Flood, J. Graviss, N. Kulkarni, D. Schamore, A. Scott, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to voting.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 117 to allow in-person early voting between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. on the three Saturdays preceding any primary, regular election, or special election; amend KRS 117.087, 117.165, 117.235, 117.995, and 118.035 to conform.

Oct 31, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB79 (BR432)/LM - M. Sorolis, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to elections.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 117 to provide for the establishment of designated voting locations by the county board of elections in counties with a population of 90,000 or more.

Oct 31, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB80 (BR853)/LM - M. Sorolis, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, N. Kulkarni, C. Stevenson, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to elections.
Amend KRS 116.025 to provide that a voter shall be a resident of the state and precinct on or before the day of an election; amend KRS 116.045 to provide that a person who has not registered to vote prior to the time that the registration books are closed, and who possesses all other qualifications for voter registration, may register at the person's precinct of residence on the day of the election, shall not be permitted to change party affiliation, and shall be permitted to vote in that election; provide for confirmation of identity and affidavit; amend KRS 116.0452 to provide for time of receipt of precinct voter registration; provide that county clerk shall provide the State Board of Elections with a report of the number of voters registering to vote at the precincts on election day; amend KRS 117.225 to provide that if the person is not listed on the precinct roster, that the person be given the opportunity to register and vote at the precinct on the day of an election; amend KRS 117.365 to provide that applications for voter registration at the precinct shall be presented to the grand jury and retained by the county clerk.

Oct 31, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB81 (BR854) - M. Sorolis, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, J. Graviss, C. Stevenson, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to voter registration.
Amend KRS 116.0455 to provide that each application for a motor vehicle driver's license shall be a simultaneous application for voter registration unless declined by the applicant; amend KRS 116.048 to provide that each application filed through a designated voter registration agency shall be a simultaneous application for voter registration unless declined by the applicant.

Oct 31, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB82 (BR50) - R. Wiederstein
Feb 04-WITHDRAWN

HB83 (BR49) - R. Wiederstein

AN ACT relating to elimination of the certificate of need and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 13B.020 to delete reference to certificate of need hearings; amend KRS 194A.010 to delete reference to the certificate of need and the state health plan; amend KRS 194A.030 to delete reference to the certificate of need; amend KRS 211.192 to correct a statutory citation; amend KRS 205.634 to delete requirement for certificate of need; amend KRS 216.361 to delete requirement for certificate of need; amend KRS 216.380 to delete requirement for certificate of need and reference to the state health plan; amend KRS 216.560 to correct a statutory citation; amend KRS 216.885 to delete requirement for certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.015 to delete and correct definitions relating to certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.020 to delete exemptions to the certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.042 to delete reference to the certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.0445 to delete the requirement for a certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.065 to delete the requirement for a certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.066 to delete the requirement for a certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.115 to delete reference to the certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.131 to delete reference to the certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.185 to correct a statutory citation; amend KRS 216B.250 to change Human Resources to Health and Family Services; amend KRS 216B.300 to correct a statutory citation; amend KRS 216B.332 to delete exemption from certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.455 to delete the requirement for a certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.457 to delete the requirement for a certificate of need; amend KRS 216B.990 to delete penalty for not obtaining a certificate of need; amend KRS 218A.175 to correct a statutory reference; amend KRS 304.17-312, 304.17-313, 304.17-317, 304.18-035, 304.18-037, 304.32-156, 304.32-280, 304.38-210, and 311.760 to replace the Kentucky Health Facilities and Health Services Certificate of Need and Licensure Board with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; amend KRS 304.17A-147 to correct a statutory reference; amend KRS 304.17A-1473 to correct a statutory reference; amend KRS 304.38-020 to delete reference to the certificate of need; amend KRS 304.38-040 to delete required evidence of a certificate of need; amend KRS 304.38-090 and KRS 304.38-130 to replace the Kentucky Certificate of Need and Licensure Board with the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; amend KRS 311.377 to delete references to the certificate of need; amend KRS 314.027 to delete reference to the certificate of need; amend KRS 347.040 to delete reference to the state health plan; repeal KRS 211.9523, 216B.010, 216B.035, 216B.040, 216B.061, 216B.0615, 216B.062, 216B.085, 216B.086, 216B.090, 216B.095, 216B.125, 216B.130, 216B.180, and 216B.182; EMERGENCY.

Oct 31, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB84 (BR844) - B. McCool, D. Lewis, C. Massey, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to birth certificates for stillborn children.
Amend KRS 213.096 to permit either parent to file an application for a certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth for any fetal death reported; require the state registrar to issue a certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth upon completion of an application; require the certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth to clearly indicate that it is not proof of a live birth and that it does not replace the requirement to file a report of fetal death; require that the certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth not be a proof of a live birth for tax purposes.

Nov 01, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB85 (BR999)/CI/LM - M. Marzian, G. Brown Jr, K. Flood, J. Graviss, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to plastic waste.
Amend KRS 224.50-545 to establish definitions; prohibit the intentional release of more than 25 plastic balloons; establish a ban on plastic, single-use carryout bags by July 1, 2025; establish a ban the provision of single-use plastic straws and Styrofoam food and beverage containers by retail food and beverage establishments by July 1, 2023; establish civil penalty of $100 per day for violation of bans.

Dec 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Natural Resources & Energy (H)

HB86 (BR48) - R. Wiederstein
Jan 24-WITHDRAWN

HB87 (BR817) - R. Huff, D. Frazier, M. Hart

AN ACT relating to high school graduation requirements.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 158 to require completion of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid form as a high school graduation requirement; provide waiver options for meeting the requirement; require local boards of education to develop policies and procedures to assist students in completing the requirement.

HB87 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(S. Lee) - Exclude at-home private schools from the section's provisions.

Nov 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 28, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 29, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 30, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 31, 2020
Feb 05, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed

HB88 (BR3) - R. Wiederstein

AN ACT relating to government data by providing for the adoption of an open data standard to allow for centralization of government data sets at a uniquely identified uniform Web site resource locator address.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 42 to define "agency strategic data architecture plan," "application programming interface," "data," "data portal," "data set," "machine-readable," "metadata," "open operating standard," "public data set," "state agency," "technical data standard," and "voluntary consensus standards body"; create an open operating standard for the Commonwealth of Kentucky; require public data sets available on the Internet to be accessible through a single, Web-based data portal with external search capabilities maintained by the Commonwealth Office of Technology; establish requirements for operation of the data portal; establish standards for prioritizing of data sets; to create the data working group and establish its duties and functions; require the Auditor of Public Accounts to examine and verify compliance with the provisions of the Act; establish the Kentucky Data Governance and Management Advisory Board; amend KRS 12.050 to include agency data officers; amend KRS 42.732 to provide that the Kentucky Information Technology Advisory Council shall advise the data working group on inclusion of data sets to be included in the open data portal; amend KRS 42.726 require the Commonwealth Office of Technology to develop, implement, and manage the sharing of data and data set development by all state agencies; establish a short title.

Nov 07, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Small Business & Information Technology (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee

HB89 (BR224)/AA - J. Tipton, D. Graham, J. Graviss

AN ACT relating to dually employed retirement system members.
Amend KRS 61.545 to provide that if a member is working in a regular full-time hazardous duty position that participates in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System or the County Employees Retirement System and is simultaneously employed in a nonhazardous position that is not considered regular full-time, the member shall participate solely as a hazardous duty member and shall not participate under the nonhazardous position unless he or she makes an election within 30 days of taking employment in the nonhazardous position; amend KRS 61.680 to conform; specify that provisions shall only apply to prospective nonhazardous employment occurring on or after the effective date of the Act.

HB89 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/AA - Retain original provisions, except to specify that the part-time nonhazardous employment must be with a different participating employer and that the provisions shall only apply to initial employment in a part-time nonhazardous position.

Nov 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 22, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 23, 2020
Jan 23, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 93-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 24, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB90 (BR832) - J. Tipton
Jan 15-WITHDRAWN

HB91 (BR827) - D. Lewis, C. Freeland, C. Massey, P. Pratt

AN ACT establishing a tax credit for employers that make payments on refinanced loans issued by the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corporation to employees.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to allow an income tax credit for certain employers that make payments on refinanced loans issued by the Kentucky Higher Education Student Loan Corporation to certain employees; amend KRS 141.0205 to order the new tax credit; amend KRS 131.190 to require reporting by the Department of Revenue to the Legislative Research Commission.

Nov 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB92 (BR251) - W. Thomas, C. Freeland, J. Graviss, M. Hart, M. Prunty, R. Rothenburger, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to an exemption of income taxation for military pensions.
Amend KRS 141.019 to exclude United States military retirees' pension income from income taxation for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2020, and before January 1, 2024; require reporting by the Department of Revenue; amend KRS 131.190 to conform.

Nov 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)
Jan 27, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB93 (BR87) - C. Massey, R. Palumbo

AN ACT relating to school construction.
Amend KRS 162.065 to require the Kentucky Board of Education to include "construction management-at-risk" as a project delivery method option for school construction projects.

Nov 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)
Jan 30, 2020 - posted in committee

HB94 (BR86) - C. Massey

AN ACT relating to hearing officers.
Amend KRS 311.591 to require the executive director of the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure to request a hearing officer for administrative hearings relating to discipline of physicians or doctors of osteopathic medicine; require the hearing officer to be randomly selected by the Attorney General or his or her designee from a pool of qualified hearing officers; require the hearing officer to have at least five years of experience in the practice of law; require the hearing officer to be familiar with the law relating to licensure, qualifications, and credentials of physicians or doctors of osteopathic medicine and other qualifications as determined by the board; allow the Attorney General or his or her designee to contract with private attorneys if there are no qualified hearing officers in the pool who meet the qualifications of this section; require the hearing officer to issue recommendations to the board; require the board to consider hearing officer recommendations and issue a final order relating to the discipline of a physician or doctor of osteopathic medicine; eliminate all references to the hearing panel; prohibit a hearing officer from revoking any licenses or placing any licensees on probation; amend KRS 161.790 to ensure that hearing officers in teacher tribunals are randomly selected; amend KRS 311.550, KRS 311.565, KRS 311.572 & KRS 311.594 to conform.

HB94 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions of the bill; Amend KRS 311.591 to require a hearing officer in Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure hearings to be an attorney, in good standing, with five years experience in the practice of law.

Nov 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 14, 2020
Feb 18, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 80-11 with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 19, 2020 - received in Senate

HB95 (BR367) - C. Massey, J. Graviss, K. King, D. Lewis

AN ACT relating to an exemption from income taxation for military pensions.
Amend KRS 141.019 to exclude United States military retirees' pension income from income taxation for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2020, and before January 1, 2024; require reporting by the Department of Revenue; amend KRS 131.190 to conform.

Nov 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)

HB96 (BR391) - C. Massey, R. Rothenburger, D. Schamore

AN ACT relating to high school students pursuing military careers.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 158 requiring schools to offer the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) test annually to students in grades 10 through 12, offer counseling based on the ASVAB test results, and allow up to four excused absences to meet with a recruiter of the Armed

Forces of the United States or Kentucky National Guard; amend KRS 159.035 to allow excused absences for students who meet with a military recruiter, receive ASVAB counseling, or pursue enlistment.

Nov 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB97 (BR291) - C. Massey, C. Freeland, R. Huff, M. Prunty, R. Rothenburger

AN ACT relating to First Responder Recognition Day.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to designate the first Saturday of October of each year as "First Responder Recognition Day"; require the Governor to proclaim the date each year and require state flags to be lowered on state public buildings from sun-up to sun-down on that day.

Nov 15, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Feb 12, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 95-0
Feb 13, 2020 - received in Senate

HB98 (BR485) - C. Massey, R. Palumbo

AN ACT relating to causes of actions for building code violations.
Amend KRS 198B.130 to allow a court award under KRS Chapter 198B or the Uniform Building Code to include attorney's fees if a certificate of occupancy has not been issued.

Nov 15, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 17, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 04, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 5, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 88-0
Feb 07, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

HB99 (BR290)/FN - D. Osborne, J. Jenkins, T. Bojanowski, A. Gentry, N. Kulkarni, C. Massey, M. Prunty, R. Rothenburger

AN ACT creating and funding a Kentucky Economic Development Finance Authority loan for a qualifying public medical center located in a city of the first class, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.
Appropriate to the Cabinet for Economic Development General Fund moneys in the amount of $50,000,000 in fiscal year 2019-2020 for the establishment and implementation of the Direct Health Care Services and Research Facilities Operations Loan; set out parameters for the Direct Health Care Services and Research Facilities Operations Loan; direct the University of Louisville to provide an annual report detailing the status of any loan agreement granted under the Direct Health Care Services and Research Facilities Operations Loan for as long as the loan is in effect; stipulate that authorized appropriations shall be paid from the General Fund Surplus Account or the Budget Reserve Trust Fund Account; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.

HB99 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/FN - Appropriate to the Cabinet for Economic Development General Fund moneys in the amount of $35 million in fiscal year 2019-2020 for the creation and funding of a KEDFA loan for a qualifying public medical center in a city of the first class; set out parameters for the KEDFA loan; stipulate that the Cabinet for Economic Development shall determine the terms and conditions of the KEDFA loan and monitor the performance of the qualifying public medical center to achieve partial loan forgiveness; require the University of Louisville to provide an annual report detailing the status of the KEDFA loan for as long as it is in effect; stipulate that authorized appropriations shall be paid from the General Fund Surplus Account or the Budget Reserve Trust Fund Account; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.
HCS2 - Appropriate to the Cabinet for Economic Development General Fund moneys in the amount of $3,069,000 in fiscal year 2020-2021 and $3,069,000 in fiscal year 2021-2022 for new debt service to support $35,000,000 in new bonds in fiscal year 2019-2020 for the creation and funding of a KEDFA loan for a qualifying public medical center in a city of the first class; set parameters for the KEDFA loan; stipulate that the Cabinet for Economic Development shall distribute funds by April 1, 2020, shall determine the terms and conditions of the KEDFA loan, and shall monitor the performance of the qualifying public medical center to achieve partial loan forgiveness not to exceed 50 percent of the KEDFA loan amount; require the public medical center that receives the loan to provide an annual report detailing the status of the KEDFA loan for as long as it is in effect; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.
HCA1(S. Rudy) - Make title amendment.
HFA1(J. Fischer) - Insert language stating that partial loan forgiveness shall not exceed 50% of the KEDFA loan amount.
HFA2(J. Hoover) - Amend provisions to make the KEDFA loan unforgivable.
HFA3(J. Hoover) - Change appropriation to the Cabinet for Economic Development for the creation and funding of a KEDFA loan to $17,500,000; appropriate $17,500,000 in General Fund moneys to the Cabinet for Economic Development for the creation of a KEDFA loan for rural hospitals; stipulate that the KEDFA loan shall not exceed a 20-year term and shall be utilized to assist rural hospitals in providing needed direct health services; direct the Cabinet for Economic Development to determine the terms and conditions of the KEDFA loan and to monitor the performance of the rural hospitals to achieve partial loan forgiveness; and direct the Cabinet for Economic Development to provide an annual report, APPROPRIATION.
HFA4(J. Hoover) - Make title amendment.
HFA5(J. Hoover) - Amend provisions to make the KEDFA loan unforgivable.
HFA6(J. Hoover) - Change debt service appropriations to the Cabinet for Economic Development for the creation and funding of a KEDFA loan to $1,535,000 in each fiscal year of the 2020-2022 fiscal biennium; appropriate $1,535,000 in each fiscal year of the 2020-2022 fiscal biennium for new debt service to support $17,500,000 in new bonds to the Cabinet for Economic Development for the creation of a KEDFA loan for rural hospitals; stipulate that the KEDFA loan shall not exceed a 20-year term and shall be utilized to assist rural hospitals in providing needed direct health services; direct the Cabinet for Economic Development to distribute those funds by April 1, 2020, to determine the terms and conditions of the KEDFA loan, and to monitor the performance of the rural hospitals to achieve partial loan forgiveness not to exceed 50 percent of the KEDFA loan amount; and direct the Cabinet for Economic Development to provide an annual report; APPROPRIATION.

Nov 15, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Jan 14, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title); floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 24, 2020; floor amendments (2) and (3) filed to Committee Substitute , floor amendment (4-title) filed to bill
Feb 03, 2020 - recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules with Committee Substitute (2); posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 12, 2020; floor amendments (5) and (6) filed to Committee Substitute (2)
Feb 12, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 86-7 with Committee Substitute (2) and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 13, 2020 - received in Senate

HB100 (BR151)/LM - R. Rothenburger, J. DuPlessis, R. Goforth, S. Heavrin, C. Massey, D. Schamore, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to emergency medical service fees and declaring an emergency.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 67 to allow a fiscal court to levy a fee on certain units for the provision of emergency medical services; define units subject to fee; require fee to be placed on tax bill; allow collection by sheriff in the same manner as for property taxes; allow sheriff to receive up to 4.25% fee for collection; define "residential," "commercial," "charitable," and "educational" units; allow levy on occupied or unoccupied units or both, occupation determined at time of initial levy and July 1 thereafter; require fee increases to be imposed by ordinance; require fees collected to be placed in separate fund, used only for provision of emergency medical services; specify that fees are not to be in lieu of any taxes or fees established for the provision of emergency medical services; EMERGENCY.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Local Government (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee

HB101 (BR273)/LM - T. Burch, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to voter registration.
Amend KRS 116.045 to permit a process of voter preregistration for persons at the minimum age of 16 years; require the State Board of Elections to promulgate administrative regulations to provide for preregistration and subsequent registration confirmation; amend KRS 116.046 to direct schools and the county clerk to inform students and school personnel, not less than once each school year, about the availability of preregistration and registration forms; direct the State Board of Education to implement programs of public education, not less than once during each school year, regarding elections, voting procedures, and election fraud, which shall include sophomores; direct school districts to submit an annual report to the Legislative Research Commission regarding student voter preregistration and registration; amend KRS 116.055 for technical corrections to conform; amend KRS 116.0455 to provide that each application for a motor vehicle driver's license shall be a simultaneous application for voter preregistration and registration unless declined by the applicant.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB102 (BR436) - J. Sims Jr, G. Brown Jr, N. Kulkarni, A. Scott

AN ACT relating to employment-related drug screens.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 344 to prohibit employment discrimination based on a positive drug screen for cannabidiol or tetrahydrocannabinol.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB103 (BR898) - S. Riley

AN ACT relating to the Asset Resolution Corporation.
Amend KRS 164A.055 to redefine "board"; establish the Asset Resolution Corporation as an independent de jure municipal corporation and political

subdivision; authorize the retention and compensation of employees; empower the corporation to serve and support schools or students concerning student finances, postsecondary education, and workforce development.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB104 (BR463)/AA - B. Wheatley, K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, J. Graviss, J. Jenkins, C. Massey, J. Tipton, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to changing beneficiaries after retirement in state-administered retirement systems.
Amend KRS 61.542 to allow a retiree who experiences a qualifying event, including marriage, remarriage, the birth or adoption of a child, or the death of a designated beneficiary, to elect to change his or her beneficiary and optional payment plan provided the election is made within 120 days of the qualifying event on a form prescribed by the Kentucky Retirement Systems and provide that in the case of a divorce, annulment, or dissolution of marriage, the retiree's estate shall become the beneficiary; amend KRS 61.590, 61.615, and 61.630 to conform; amend KRS 161.630 to expand the qualifying events for which a retiree may elect to change his or her beneficiary and optional payment plan to include a birth or adoption of a child in addition to marriage, remarriage, and the death of a beneficiary, require that the election be made within 120 days of the qualifying event on a form prescribed by the Teachers' Retirement System, and make technical corrections; amend KRS 161.480 to conform.

HB104 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/AA - Retain original provisions; amend KRS 61.542 to require that a retirement allowance that results from a retired member who experiences a qualifying event changing his or her beneficiary and optional payment plan be actuarially equivalent to the present value of the amount of the retirement allowance payable to the retired member prior to the change in beneficiary and optional payment plan.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 19, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 20, 2020

HB105 (BR97) - S. Westrom, G. Brown Jr, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to interpersonal protective orders.
Amend KRS 456.030 to provide that a mental health professional or clergy person who provides pastoral care and who is a victim of stalking or assault by a patient may petition for an interpersonal protective order; and amend KRS 456.010 to include definitions to clarify.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB106 (BR135)/CI/LM - C. Stevenson, K. Flood, J. Graviss, M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to cruelty to animals.
Amend KRS 525.130 to require forfeiture of animals subjected to cruelty, and make technical changes.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB107 (BR173) - C. Stevenson, T. Bojanowski, K. Flood, J. Graviss, R. Palumbo

AN ACT relating to the safety of canines and felines.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 411 to provide civil immunity for damaging a vehicle if a person enters the vehicle with the reasonable, good-faith belief that a dog or cat is in immediate danger of death if not removed.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB108 (BR174) - C. Stevenson, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, T. Branham Clark, M. Cantrell, K. Flood, J. Graviss, K. Hinkle, T. Huff, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, R. Palumbo, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom, R. Wiederstein

AN ACT relating to the reporting of animal abuse.
Amend KRS 321.185 to specify that a veterinarian shall not be subject to discipline when acting in good faith to report, provide information about, or testify on a suspected animal abuse violation prohibited by KRS 525.125, 525.130, 525.135, or 525.137.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Agriculture (H)

HB109 (BR456) - S. Westrom, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, J. Jenkins, M. Marzian, P. Minter, A. Scott, C. Stevenson, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to wages for employment.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 337 to make it a discriminatory employment action if an employer asks questions about previous salary or wages, relies on previous salary when setting a new salary, or refuses to hire if an applicant does not provide previous salary, except to allow a request for information voluntarily provided in response to an offer of employment; allow previous salary to be considered when required by law, when discovered while looking at other nonsalary information, and for public employee positions; require notice to be posted for employees; amend KRS 337.990 to assess a civil penalty for a violation.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB110 (BR377) - W. Thomas, L. Willner, T. Bojanowski, N. Kulkarni, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to the psychology interjurisdictional compact.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 319 to enact and enter into the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact with all other jurisdictions that legally join the compact; declare the purpose of the compact; define terms; allow a psychologist to hold one or more compact state licenses at a time; recognize the right of a psychologist licensed in the compact to practice telepsychology in other compact states the psychologist is not licensed; establish conditions under which a psychologist licensed to practice in compact state can practice telepsychology; establish the conditions under which a psychologist licensed to practice in a compact state may be granted a Temporary Authorization to Practice; authorize a home state to take adverse action against a psychologist's licensed issued by the Home State; allow a receiving state to take adverse action on a psychologist's Authority to Practice Interjurisdictional Telepsychology within that receiving state; authorize a compact state's ability to issue subpoenas for hearings and investigation as well as cease and desist and injunctive relief orders to revoke a psychologist's authority to practice interjurisdictional telepsychology and temporary authorization to practice; establish the Psychology Interjurisdictional Compact Commission; require the commission to provide for and maintain a Coordinated Licensure Information System (Coordinated Database) and reporting system containing licensure and disciplinary action information on psychologists participating in the compact; provide immunity for members, officers, executive director, employees, and representatives of the commission who act in accordance with the provisions of the compact; authorize the commission to establish rulemaking procedures; authorize the executive, judicial, and legislative branches of state government to enforce the provisions of the compact; affirm that rules promulgated will have standing as statutory law; require provisions of the compact to become effective on the date the compact is enacted into law.

Nov 18, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB111 (BR801) - D. Graham, G. Brown Jr, C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to campaign finance.
Amend KRS 118.125 to require a candidate for constitutional statewide office who files a notification and declaration for elective office, including slates of candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, to submit a copy of his or her previous five years of federal income tax returns with the Registry of Election Finance; provide for written consent for public disclosure of the federal income tax returns; require that the federal income tax returns shall be made available on the registry's Web site when appropriate redaction of personal information occurs and not later than seven days after submission to the registry; require fines to be levied against a constitutional candidate or slate of candidates if the filing of federal tax returns does not timely occur; require the registry to retain the submitted tax returns for a time certain; and permit the registry to promulgate administrative regulations under KRS Chapter 13A to implement and enforce; amend KRS 118.367 to require an independent, political organization, or group candidate for constitutional statewide office who files a statement-of-candidacy form for elective office, including slates of candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, to submit a copy of his or her previous five years of federal income tax returns with the registry; provide for written consent for public disclosure of the federal income tax returns; require that the federal income tax returns shall be made available on the registry's Web site when appropriate redaction of personal information occurs and not later than seven days after submission to the registry; require fines to be levied against a constitutional candidate or slate of candidates if the filing of federal tax returns does not timely occur; require the registry to retain the submitted tax returns for a time certain; and permit the registry to promulgate administrative regulations under KRS Chapter 13A to implement and enforce.

Nov 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB112 (BR803) - J. Jenkins, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to campaign finance.
Amend KRS 121.150 to require that all personal loans made by candidates for all constitutional state officers, including the Governor and Lieutenant Governor, to their campaigns be repaid by their campaign committees within one year if the candidates are elected beginning with the regular election in November 2019; amend KRS 121.180 to provide for filing a report verifying repayment of personal loans to candidates for all constitutional state officers, including Governor and Lieutenant Governor, by December 31 in the year following their election; amend KRS 23A.070 to conform.

Nov 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB113 (BR499) - A. Hatton, G. Brown Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to executive branch ethics.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter

11A to require statewide elected officials to file a statement of use of state resources with the Executive Branch Ethics Commission when state resources are used for nonpublic purposes and the value of that use of state resources exceeds $250; require that the statement of use of state resources be filed within 30 days of an event where state resources were used for nonpublic purposes; require that within ten days of submission of a statement of use of state resources, the Executive Branch Ethics Commission shall determine whether the submission complies with legal requirements; require statement of use of state resources to be filed on a form prescribed by the Executive Branch Ethics Commission; require statements of use of state resources to include the name, title, and business address of the statewide elected official using state resources for nonpublic purposes and a detailed description of the events under which the use of state resources for nonpublic purposes took place; amend KRS 11A.010 to define "nonpublic purpose" and "state resources"; amend KRS 11A.990 to require the withholding of the salary of any statewide elected official who does not comply with legal requirements related to the filing of a statement of use of state resources.

Nov 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB114 (BR324)/LM - J. Donohue, G. Brown Jr, N. Kulkarni, D. Schamore

AN ACT relating to public procurement.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 45A to set forth findings of the General Assembly and establish a policy of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to promote the Kentucky and United States economies by requiring a preference for iron, steel, and manufactured goods produced in Kentucky and the United States; define "manufactured in Kentucky," "manufactured in the United States," and "United States"; require preference for iron, steel, and manufactured goods made in Kentucky in construction and maintenance contracts and subcontracts; provide for a waiver of the Kentucky preference requirement; require preference for iron, steel, and manufactured goods made in the United States if the Kentucky waiver is granted; provide for a waiver of the United States preference requirement; establish a short title of "Kentucky Buy American Act"; amend KRS 45A.343, 45A.352, 65.027, 162.070, 164A.575, 176.080, and 424.260 to require compliance.

Nov 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)

HB115 (BR325) - J. Donohue, G. Brown Jr, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to economic development incentives.
Amend KRS 154.32.010 to define "weekly minimum wage"; amend KRS 154.32-020 to require an approved company to pay all new full-time employees whose jobs were created as a result of the economic development project no less than the minimum weekly wage and provide employee benefits for those jobs equal to at least 15% of the minimum weekly wage established by the agreement; amend KRS 154.32-030 to delete all provisions that allow the approved company to receive full incentives if 90% of the job and wage requirements are met upon activation or annual review; amend KRS 154.32-040 to delete a provision that would allow the approved company to receive a reduction in tax incentives for failing to meet job and wage requirements.

Nov 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB116 (BR328) - J. Donohue, T. Branham Clark, G. Brown Jr, A. Gentry, A. Tackett Laferty

AN ACT relating to railroads.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 277 to require two-person crews on trains or light engines used in connection with the movement of freight; establish civil penalties for failure to have a two-person crew.

Nov 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Transportation (H)

HB117 (BR833) - N. Kulkarni, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to required Medicaid coverage of services.
Amend KRS 205.560 to require that dental and optometric services provided to eligible recipients ages 21 and over be the same as those provided to eligible children ages 21 and under; establish minimum requirements for dental services provided to all age groups; require coverage of nonemergency medically necessary transportation for eligible recipients.

Nov 19, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB118 (BR218) - D. Bentley, S. Sheldon, C. Massey, R. Meeks, N. Tate, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to qualified mental health professionals.
Amend KRS 202A.011 to expand the definition of qualified mental health professional to include a licensed pharmacist who is board certified as a psychiatric pharmacist.

Nov 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB119 (BR337)/LM - G. Brown Jr, C. Booker, D. Graham, N. Kulkarni, R. Meeks, A. Scott

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 145 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to persons entitled to vote.
Propose to amend Section 145 of the Constitution of Kentucky to restructure the voting restrictions relating to felons and persons with mental disabilities; ballot language; submit to voters for ratification or rejection.

Nov 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB120 (BR379)/LM - P. Pratt, K. Banta, D. Hale, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to the transfer of county jail inmates.
Amend KRS 441.520 to require a judicial removal order cite danger for order of removal, establish incarceration rates and medical costs, impose geographic limits for removal, place liability for transfers upon the Administrative Office of the Courts, require that in all other removal orders the judge shall receive the written agreement of the originating and receiving jailer, establish the details of written agreement, establish criteria for cost and transportation, and require judge to review removal orders every 90 days for safety and security of inmates.

Nov 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee

HB121 (BR316)/LM - M. Cantrell, T. Bojanowski, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, J. Raymond, A. Scott, M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to employment schedules.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 337 requiring employers to give employees a good-faith schedule of hours to be worked, to have a voluntary standby list of employees who wish to work additional hours, to post weekly schedules at least 7 days in advance, and to provide certain rest periods for employees from being scheduled; allow employees to identify time limitations for scheduling work hours; require compensation for employer changes to the schedule; set forth unlawful practices; amend KRS 337.990 to establish a penalty for violations.

Nov 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB122 (BR317)/CI/LM - M. Cantrell, G. Brown Jr, D. Schamore, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to leave from employment for crime victims.
Amend KRS 337.415, relating to court-ordered appearances by employees, to prohibit employers from discharging or retaliating against an employee who is a crime victim when the employee takes leave to attend proceedings associated with a crime; require an employee to give an employer reasonable notice to take leave when practicable; provide guidelines for use of paid leave; require the employer to maintain confidentiality of records and communication with employee crime victim; create a penalty for failing to maintain confidentiality; define terms.

Nov 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB123 (BR319)/LM - M. Cantrell, G. Brown Jr, M. Marzian, J. Raymond, A. Scott

AN ACT relating to earned paid sick leave.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 337 to require employers to provide earned paid sick leave to employees; provide that employees earn paid sick leave upon the date of hire and can use the leave after being employed for 90 days; set forth allowable uses of earned paid sick time; designate how notice of need to use sick time is provided by employees; amend KRS 337.990 to establish penalty for employers that fail to follow paid sick leave requirements.

Nov 21, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB124 (BR413) - A. Hatton, G. Brown Jr, M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to information technology.
Amend KRS 154.15-010 to create a definition for paid prioritization; create a new section of Subchapter 15 of KRS Chapter 154 to require KentuckyWired contracts between the Kentucky Communications Network Authority and public or private Internet service providers contain certain provisions to ensure open and fair access to the network by customers.

Nov 26, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Small Business & Information Technology (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee

HB125 (BR414) - A. Hatton
Jan 16-WITHDRAWN

HB126 (BR415) - A. Hatton, C. Stevenson, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, M. Cantrell, R. Palumbo, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to utility rates.
Amend KRS 278.030 to include rate affordability when determining fair, just and reasonable utility rates; allow the Public Service Commission to review the affordability of a utility's rate if the utility has not requested a rate adjustment in five years; allow the commission to order a rate increase to prevent significant increases in a single period; require fair, just, and reasonable rates to balance the intrests of the utility, its investors, and the ratepayer.

Nov 26, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Natural Resources & Energy (H)

HB127 (BR137)/LM - K. King, R. Huff

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 42 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to compensation for members of the General Assembly.
Propose to amend Section 42 of the Constitution of Kentucky to prohibit members of the General Assembly from receiving legislative pay for a special session that has been called by the Governor because the General Assembly adjourned without passing a state budget; ballot language; submit to the voters for ratification or rejection.

Nov 26, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB128 (BR480)/LM - R. Brenda, D. Schamore, J. Sims Jr

AN ACT related to animal-drawn vehicles and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 189 to prohibit animal-drawn vehicles from being drawn by an animal wearing shoes that will damage the highway; amend KRS 189.990 to establish a penalty of $25 for the first offense and $50 for subsequent offenses; forward money from fines to the road fund; allow for prepayment of fine; exempt from court costs; APPROPRIATION.

Nov 27, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Transportation (H)

HB129 (BR269)/LM - K. Moser, J. Graviss, C. Fugate, R. Heath, T. Huff, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, C. Massey, B. McCool, R. Meyer, C. Miller, J. Miller, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, B. Rowland, S. Santoro, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, C. Stevenson, N. Tate, W. Thomas, J. Tipton, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to public health, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.
Create new sections of KRS 211.180 to 211.190 to establish definitions; establish the amount of funds to be allocated to and used by local health departments in Kentucky for employment, services, and programs; amend KRS 194A.050, 211.180, 211.357, 211.976, 217.125, and 217.811 to establish new requirements of allowable fees; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.

HB129 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/FN/LM - Retain original provisions; make technical change; amend KRS 194A.050, 211.180, 211.357, 211.976, 217.125, and 217.811 to establish new requirements of allowable fees for year 2020 and allowable fees for subsequent years beginning in 2021; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.
HCS2 - Retain original provisions; make technical change; amend KRS 194A.050, 211.180, 211.357, 211.976, 217.125, and 217.811 to establish new requirements of allowable fees for year 2020 and allowable fees for subsequent years beginning in 2021; add reporting requirement; amend KRS 212.725 and 212.755 to add provisions for tax rate levy and expense of funds that are already established by KRS 212.740 and 212.760; make conforming changes; repeal KRS 212.740 and 212.760; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.

Dec 02, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules with Committee Substitute (2); posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 12, 2020
Feb 13, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 88-1 with Committee Substitute (2)
Feb 14, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

HB130 (BR354) - J. Donohue
Jan 08-WITHDRAWN

HB131 (BR197) - R. Huff

AN ACT relating to the reporting of statistics involving domestic violence.
Amend KRS 17.153 on annual crime reporting to require the State Police to collect certain statistics on homicides when domestic violence is a circumstance of the offense.

Dec 02, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee

HB132 (BR1020) - D. Hale, M. Dossett, R. Goforth, R. Huff, T. Huff, K. King, C. Massey, M. Prunty, S. Santoro, J. Stewart III, K. Upchurch

AN ACT relating to student privacy and declaring a emergency.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 158 to ensure that student privacy exists in school restrooms, locker rooms, and showers; require students born male to use only those facilities designated to be used by males and students born female to use only those facilities designated to be used by females; require schools to provide the best available accommodation to students who assert that their gender is different from their biological sex; identify consequences for using facilities designated for the opposite biological sex; identify the Act as the Kentucky Student Privacy Act; EMERGENCY.

Dec 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB133 (BR901) - N. Kulkarni, G. Brown Jr, A. Gentry

AN ACT relating to legal actions concerning the exercise of a person's constitutional rights.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 454 to provide definitions and establish procedures for dismissing legal actions filed in response to a party's exercise of free speech, right to petition, or right to association; allow for an immediate appeal as a matter of right; allow for costs to be awarded to petitioning party if dismissal is granted; allow for costs to be awarded to responding party if the motion was found to be frivolous or filed solely for the purpose of unnecessary delay; provide that this Act may be cited as the Kentucky Public Participation Act.

Dec 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee

HB134 (BR936) - S. Westrom, T. Branham Clark, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, N. Kulkarni

AN ACT relating to the certification of sober living homes and declaring an emergency.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 210 to define "sober living homes"; require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to provide access to a certification program for sober living homes; require the cabinet to develop and make available on its Web site a directory of certified sober living homes; permit the cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations; require the cabinet to report on progress by December 1, 2020; EMERGENCY.

Dec 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB135 (BR865) - S. Sheldon, J. Blanton, T. Bojanowski, K. Bratcher, J. DuPlessis, D. Elliott, K. Flood, D. Graham, R. Huff, D. Lewis, C. Massey, R. Palumbo, P. Pratt, J. Raymond, D. Schamore, J. Sims Jr, A. Tackett Laferty, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to licensees of the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure.
Amend KRS 311.842 to require the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure to promulgate administrative regulations relating the prescribing of controlled substances by physician assistants; amend KRS 311.844 to establish continuing education requirements for physician assistants who are authorized to prescribe controlled substances; amend KRS 311.850 to permit the board to take action against the license of a physician's assistant for certain sexual offenses, for being unable to practice medicine due to physical or mental illness, or for engaging in dishonorable, unethical, or unprofessional conduct; amend KRS 311.854 to permit the executive director of the board to temporarily approve an application for licensure and to require the board to review and approve or deny the application; 311.856 to conform; amend 311.858 to establish the process by which a physician assistant can apply for authorization to prescribe and administer controlled substances and to establish limitations on prescriptions for controlled substances issued by a physician assistant; create a new section of KRS 311.840 to 311.862 to permit a hearing or inquiry panel to order a physician assistant to undergo a physical or mental examination; create a new section of KRS 311.840 to 311.862 to permit a hearing or inquiry panel to order a physician assistant to complete a clinical competency examination or clinical skills assessment; amend KRS 311.616 to expand the impaired physicians program to include physician assistants; amend KRS 311.617 to expand the Kentucky Physicians Health Foundation to include physician assistants; amend KRS 311.619 to provide confidentiality to physician assistants participating in the impaired physician and physician assistants program; and amend KRS 218A.010 to amend the definition of practitioner.

HB135 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions; require a physician assistant to have at least 1 year of experience before being eligible to apply for authorization to prescribe controlled substances; require a physician assistant who is authorized to prescribe controlled substances to complete an additional 5 hours of continuing education; delete the requirement that a physician assistant provide evidence of training in clinical pharmacology; delete provision for temporary approval by the executive director of the Kentucky Board of Medical Licensure; delete provisions permitting the board to require a physician assistant to complete a clinical competency exam or skill assessment if the physician assistant has not practiced for two years; and replace references to dispensing controlled substances with administering controlled substances; amend KRS 311.616 to include reference to the Kentucky Physician Health Foundation; repeal KRS 311.617. HCA1 - Make title amendment.

Dec 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)
Jan 22, 2020 - reassigned to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 28, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 06, 2020 - taken from Rules; placed in the Orders of the Day; 3rd reading, passed 91-1 with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 07, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

HB136 (BR366)/CI/LM - J. Nemes, J. Sims Jr, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, T. Branham Clark, K. Bratcher, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, L. Elkins, D. Elliott, K. Flood, C. Freeland, A. Gentry, J. Glenn, J. Gooch Jr., D. Graham, C. Harris, M. Hart, A. Hatton, K. Hinkle, C. Howard, T. Huff, J. Jenkins, M. Koch, N. Kulkarni, D. Lewis, S. Maddox, M. Marzian, C. McCoy, R. Meeks, R. Meyer, C. Miller, J. Miller, P.

Minter, D. Osborne, R. Palumbo, P. Pratt, R. Rand, J. Raymond, D. Schamore, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, W. Stone, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to medicinal marijuana and making an appropriation therefor.

Create various new sections of KRS Chapter 218A to define terms; to exempt the medicinal marijuana program from existing provisions in Kentucky law to the contrary; to require the Department for Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Control to implement and regulate the medicinal marijuana program in Kentucky; to establish the Division of Medicinal Marijuana within the Department of Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Control; to establish restrictions on the possession of medicinal marijuana by qualifying patients, visiting patients, and designated caregivers; to establish certain protections for cardholders; to establish professional protections for practitioners; to provide for the authorizing of practitioners by state licensing boards to issue written certifications for the use medicinal marijuana; to establish professional protections for attorneys; to prohibit the possession and use of medicinal marijuana on a school bus, on the grounds of any preschool or primary or secondary school, in a correctional facility, any property of the federal government, or while operating a motor vehicle; to prohibit smoking of medicinal marijuana; to permit an employer to restrict the possession and use of medicinal marijuana by an employee; to require the department to implement and operate a registry identification card program; to establish requirements for registry identification cards; to establish registry identification card fees; to require the department to operate a provisional licensure receipt system; to establish the application requirements for a registry identification card; to establish when the department may deny an application for a registry identification card; to establish certain responsibilities for cardholders; to establish when a registry identification card may be revoked; to establish various cannabis business licensure categories; to establish tiering of cannabis business licenses; to require certain information be included in an application for a cannabis business license; to establish when the department may deny an application for a cannabis business license; to prohibit a practitioner from being a board member or principal officer of a cannabis business; to prohibit cross-ownership of certain classes of cannabis businesses; to establish rules for local sales, including establishing the process by which a local legislative body may prohibit the operation of cannabis businesses within its territory and the process for local ordinances and ballot initiatives; to establish technical requirements for cannabis businesses; to establish limits on the THC content of medicinal marijuana that can be produced or sold in the state; to establish requirements for cannabis cultivators, including cultivation square footage limits; to establish requirements for cannabis dispensaries; to establish requirements for safety compliance facilities; to establish requirements for cannabis processors; to establish procedures for the department to inspect cannabis businesses; to establish procedures for the suspension or revocation of a cannabis business license; to exempt certain records and information from the disclosure under the Kentucky Open Records Act; to require the department to develop, maintain, and operate electronic systems for monitoring the medicinal marijuana program; to require the department to promulgate administrative regulations necessary to implement the medicinal marijuana program; to establish that nothing in the bill requires government programs or private insurers to reimburse for the cost of use; to establish the medicinal marijuana trust fund; to establish the local medicinal marijuana trust fund; and to establish procedures for the distribution of local cannabis trust fund moneys; create a new section of KRS Chapter 138 to establish an excise tax of 12% for cultivators and processors for selling to dispensaries; to require that 80% of the revenue from the excise taxes be deposited into the medicinal marijuana trust fund; to require that 20% of the revenue from the excise taxes be deposited into the local medicinal marijuana trust fund; amend KRS 342.815 to establish that the Employer's Mutual Insurance Authority shall not be required to provide coverage to an employer if doing so would subject the authority to a violation of state or federal law; amend KRS 139.470 to exempt the sale of medical marijuana from the state sales tax; amend KRS 218A.010, 218A.1421, 218A.1422, 218A.1423, and 218A.500 to conform; amend KRS 12.020 to change the name of the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control to the Department of Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Control and to create the Division of Medicinal Marijuana; and amend KRS 12.252, 15.300, 15.380, 15.398, 15A.340, 15.420, 61.592, 62.160, 131.1815, 211.285, 241.010, 241.015, 241.030, 243.025, 243.0307, 243.038, 243.090, 243.360, 438.310, 438.311, 438.313, 438.315, 438.317, 438,320, 438.325, 438.330, 438.337, and 438.340 to conform; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021; APPROPRIATION.

HB136 - AMENDMENTS

HCS1/CI/LM - Retain original provisions; replace references to medicinal marijuana with medicinal cannabis; delete provisions related to tiering of cannabis businesses except for cultivators, qualifying medical conditions, the Department of Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Control, and outdoor cultivation of cannabis; amend provisions related to definitions, allocation of the medicinal cannabis trust fund dollars, allocation of the local medicinal cannabis trust fund, licensing of cannabis business, and cultivation square footage limits; and establish new provisions related to administration and regulation by the Department for Public Health, the Board of Physicians and Advisors, cannabis business accreditation, collaborative agreements between pharmacists and dispensaries, patient consultations with pharmacists; make techinical corrections; Sections 2, 4 to 8, 11, 13 to 15, 18 to 25, 30, and 37 to 39 EFFECTIVE July 1, 2021, APPROPRIATION.
HCA1(J. Petrie) - Make title amendment.
HFA1(J. Sims Jr) - Establish minimum list of qualifying medical conditions; APPROPRIATION.
HFA2(S. Sheldon) - Increase the pharmacy consultation fee from not more than $40 to at least $75; APPROPRIATION.
HFA3(M. Prunty) - Prohibit cannabis businesses from advertising medicinal cannabis sales; APPROPRIATION.
HFA4(J. Blanton) - Establish civil liability for dispensaries and dispensary agents that do not comply with certain provisions of this Act; APPROPRIATION.
HFA5(J. Blanton) - Establish civil liability for dispensaries and dispensary agents that do not comply with certain provisions of this Act.
HFA6(K. King) - Prohibit a practitioner from providing a written certification to a patient who is also taking a prescription drug that contraindicates the use of medicinal cannabis; APPROPRIATION.
HFA7(K. King) - Prohibit a practitioner from providing a written certification to a patient who is also taking a prescription drug that contraindicates the use of medicinal cannabis; APPROPRIATION.
HFA8(D. Bentley) - Amend KRS 216B.402 to require hospitals to report cases of cannabinoid hyperemesis syndrome to the Department for Public Health; APPROPRIATION.
HFA9(D. Bentley) - Amend KRS 216B.402 to require hospitals to report cases of cannabinoid hyperemesis syndrome to the Department for Alcoholic Beverage and Cannabis Control.
HFA10(R. Goforth) - Establish minimum list of qualifying medical conditions; effective July 1, 2021; APPROPRIATION.
HFA11(R. Goforth) - Delete all references to a dentist, podiatrist, and an optomertist as they relate to a practitioner who is authorized to provide written certifications for the use of medicinal cannabis.
HFA12(R. Goforth) - Establish a definition for "edibles" and establish references to the definition as appropriate.
HFA13(N. Tate) - Expand the membership of the Board of Physicians and Advisors; APPROPRIATION.
HFA14(C. Fugate) - Require cardholders to return medicinal cannabis products to dispensaries for destruction if the registered qualified patient dies or ceases to be a qualified patient; effective July 1, 2021; APPROPRIATION.
HFA15(C. Fugate) - Permit law enforcement personnel and dispensary agents to access medicinal cannabis sales date reported by dispensaries; effective January 1, 2021; APPROPRIATION.
HFA16(C. Fugate) - Establish trafficking in any amount of marijuana or products containing marijuana cultivated, produced, or processed by a licensed cannabis business in violation of Sections 1 to 30 of the Act as a Class D felony; effective July 1, 2021; APPROPRIATION.
HFA17(D. Frazier) - Prohibit the sale of medicinal cannabis products intended for consumption by vaporization to cardholders under 21 years of age; effective July 1, 2021; APPROPRIATION.

Nov 01, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 14, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Feb 10, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - floor amendments (1), (2), (3), (5), (7) and (8) filed to Committee Substitute, floor amendments (4), (6) and (9) filed to bill
Feb 19, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 20, 2020; floor amendment (2) withdrawn; floor amendments (10), (11), (12), (13), (14), (15), (16) and (17) filed to Committee Substitute

HB137 (BR364)/AA/CI/LM - A. Koenig, A. Gentry, K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, J. Donohue, K. Flood, J. Glenn, D. Graham, J. Graviss, C. Harris, A. Hatton, K. Hinkle, C. Howard, T. Huff, J. Jenkins, M. Koch, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, C. Massey, C. McCoy, C. Miller, J. Miller, P. Minter, K. Moser, J. Nemes, D. Osborne, R. Palumbo, J. Raymond, S. Santoro, D. Schamore, J. Sims Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to wagering and making an appropriation therefor.

Establish KRS Chapter 239 and create new sections to define "adjusted gross revenue," "beginner," "cabinet, "confidential information," "entry fee," "fantasy contest," "fantasy contest operator," "fantasy contest participant", "highly experienced player," "immediate family," "location percentage," "person," "principal stockholder," "registered fantasy contest operator," "script," "secretary," and "wager"; establish requirements for registration as a fantasy contest operator; require the cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations for the operation of fantasy contests; establish the wagering administration fund and direct the uses of that fund; establish the Kentucky problem gambling assistance account and direct the uses of that account; require an annual audit of fantasy contest registrants; establish requirements for fantasy contest procedures; amend KRS 230.210 to define "professional sports venue" and "sports wagering"; create new sections of KRS Chapter 230 to require the racing commission to institute a system of sports wagering at tracks and other specified locations; limit the types of events upon which wagers may be placed; amend KRS 230.215 to declare the intent to allow citizens to enjoy sports wagering and allow the racing commission to promulgate administrative regulations prescribing conditions under which sports wagering is to be conducted; amend KRS 230.225, 230.240, and 230.260 to include sports wagering; create a new section of KRS Chapter 230 to establish sports wagering licensure requirements; amend KRS 230.320 to conform; amend KRS

230.361 to include sports wagering; amend KRS 230.3615 to conform; create a new section of KRS Chapter 138 to define “adjusted gross income” and impose a tax on sports wagering; amend KRS 230.362, 230.363, 230.364, 230.365, 230.366, 230.369, 230.371, 230.372, 230.373, 230.374, and 230.750 to conform; create a new section of KRS Chapter 230 to prohibit participants from wagering on events in which they participate and to prohibit tampering with the outcome of a sporting event; amend KRS 230.990 to provide penalties for participants who wager on sporting events or tamper with the outcome of a sporting event; amend KRS Chapter 154A.010 to define “net poker revenue,” “online poker,” and “rake”; amend KRS 154A.050 and 154A.060 to include conducting online poker games; amend KRS 154A.063 to delete restriction on playing cards and where winners are based on the outcome of a sports contest; amend KRS 154A.070 to include online poker; amend 154A.110 to prohibit anyone under 18 from placing a wager through an online poker game; amend KRS 154A.120 to include online poker; amend KRS 154A.130 to exempt online poker; create new sections of KRS Chapter 154A to require licensure for online poker games; require the Lottery Corporation to promulgate requirements in conformance with federal law for providers through administrative regulations; establish licensing fees; impose a gaming fee on providers; establish the Kentucky Lottery Corporation online poker account and provide for the uses of the funds deposited therein; amend KRS 154A.600 to include online poker; amend KRS 243.500 to exempt sports wagering and online poker; amend KRS 525.090 to exempt sports wagering; amend KRS 528.010 to exempt fantasy contests, sports wagering, and online poker and the devices used in the conduct of those forms of wagering; amend KRS 528.020, 528.070, and KRS 528.080 to exempt fantasy contests, sports wagering, and online poker; create a noncodified section to assert that the provisions of the Act are severable.

HB137 - AMENDMENTS

HCS1/AA/CI/LM - Add definitions of "net poker revenue," "online poker," and "rake" to KRS Chapter 239; remove oversight of online poker from the Lottery Corporation and place online poker under the Public Protection Cabinet in newly created sections of KRS Chapter 239; segregate sports wagering from advanced deposit wagering; establish a January 1, 2022 end point for the requirement to download the sports wagering phone application at a licensed venue; remove the prohibition on wagering on Kentucky collegiate teams; delete the provision for the professional sports leagues to submit names for consideration for membership on the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission.

HFA1(J. Hoover) - Amend KRS 230.225 to require members of the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission to comply with the Executive Branch Code of Ethics.

HFA2(J. Hoover) - Amend Section 13 to remove the statement of policy and intent on sports wagering and the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission.

HFA3(A. Koenig) - Amend Section 4 to clarify that five percent of all funds deposited into the wagering administration fund shall be allocated to the Kentucky problem gambling assistance account prior to any other allocation of moneys from the wagering administration fund, the remaining funds shall be dedicated to the Kentucky permanent pension fund after necessary administrative expenses.

HFA4(A. Koenig) - Amend Section 1 to clarify the definition of "adjusted gross revenue"; amend Section 3 to require a criminal background check and to ensure that fantasy contest operators already operating in the Commonwealth may continue to operate until initial licensure is received or denied; amend Section 6 to specify that the audit required is a financial audit and shall be submitted to the cabinet within 270 days of the end of the operator's fiscal year; amend Section 7 to clarify requirements for segregation of funds and to remove the prohibition on university or college events and to clarify that officers and directors of registrants are prohibited from participating in public contests; amend Section 11 to clarify that individuals shall be at least 18 before being able to place wagers; create a new Section 34 to ensure that employees of sports wagering licensees shall not wager on technology associated with the licensee with which he is employed.

HFA5(A. Koenig) - Amend Section 10 of the House Committee Substitute to revise the definition of "sports wagering."

HFA6(J. Petrie) - Amend Section 3 and KRS 230.330 and 230.368 to stipulate that any applicant aggrieved by a final order of the racing commission shall appeal the action in any Circuit Court that is greater than 60 miles distance from any race track licensed under KRS Chapter 230.

HFA7(J. Petrie) - Create a new section of KRS chapter 239 to allow local governments to prohibit fantasy contests, online poker, or sports wagering by local ordinance and require geographical software on smart phone or online applications to be amended to reflect the prohibition.

HFA8(J. Petrie) - Increase fantasy contest renewal fee from six (6) percent to nine (9) percent; increase the gaming fee on online poker from 6.75% to 10%; increase the tax on sports wagers placed at licensed tracks or professional sports venues from 9.75% to 14%; and increase the tax on sports wagers placed online or via smart phone from 14.25% to 21%.

HFA9(J. Petrie) - Amend to change funding rate to Kentucky problem gambling assistance account to 15 percent.

HFA10(R. Heath) - Amend KRS 230.260 to require the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission to comply with all open records requests and impose a penalty equal to three times the legal fees of parties bringing the open records request if found to be in violation.

HFA11(R. Heath) - Amend Section 11 to increase locations licensed to offer sports wagering to include lottery retailers, restaurants where at least 70 percent of food and beverage sales comes from the sale of food, and any other secure location deemed appropriate by the commission.

HFA12(J. Petrie) - Increase fantasy contest renewal fee from six (6) percent to 12%; increase the gaming fee on online poker from 6.75% to 13.5%; increase the tax on sports wagers placed at licensed tracks or professional sports venues from 9.75% to 19.5%; and increase the tax on sports wagers placed online or via smart phone from 14.25% to 28.5%.

HFA13(J. Petrie) - Increase fantasy contest renewal fee from six (6) percent to 18 percent; increase the gaming fee on online poker from 6.75 % to 20.25 %; increase the tax on sports wagers placed at licensed tracks or professional sports venues from 9.75 % to 29.25 % and increase the tax on sports wagers placed online or via smart phone from 14.25 % to 42.25 %.

HFA14(K. King) - Amend KRS 230.215 to declare the policy of the Commonwealth that any information provided to the racing commission concerning pari-mutuel racing or sports wagering shall be deemed to be a public record subject to open records provision.

HFA15(J. Petrie) - Amend to change funding rate to Kentucky problem gambling assistance account to seven and one-half percent (7.5%).

HFA16(J. Petrie) - Amend to change funding rate to Kentucky problem gambling assistance account to 10 percent..

HFA17(D. Hale) - Amend KRS 230.260 to require the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission to comply with all open records requests and impose a penalty equal to three times the legal fees of parties bringing the open records request if found to be in violation.

Dec 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

Jan 08, 2020 - posted in committee

Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)

Jan 16, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 17, 2020

Jan 21, 2020 - floor amendments (1) and (2) filed to Committee Substitute

Jan 22, 2020 - floor amendment (3) filed to Committee Substitute

Jan 23, 2020 - floor amendment (4) filed to Committee Substitute

Feb 05, 2020 - floor amendment (5) filed to Committee Substitute

Feb 11, 2020 - floor amendments (6), (7), (8), (9), (10), (11), (12), (13), (14), (15) and (16) filed to Committee Substitute

Feb 12, 2020 - floor amendment (17) filed to Committee Substitute

Feb 13, 2020 - floor amendment (17) withdrawn

HB138 (BR88) - A. Scott, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, K. Flood, J. Glenn, D. Graham, A. Hatton, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, P. Minter, R. Palumbo, J. Raymond, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to maternal health.

Amend KRS 211.680 to expand the scope of the legislative intent and findings; amend KRS 211.684 and KRS 211.686 to require the existence of the state and local child and maternal fatality review teams; create new sections of KRS Chapter 211 to require licensed health facilities under KRS Chapter 216B to provide each patient with written information regarding the patient's rights; define terms; require health facilities licensed under KRS 216B to 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; require Medicaid reimbursement for the services of a qualified doula and require a report to be submitted to the Legislative Research Commission annually.

Dec 06, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB139 (BR246)/LM - J. Glenn, G. Brown Jr, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to an exemption of income for centenarians.

Amend KRS 141.019 to exclude from state income tax all income of any resident centenarian; require reporting by the Department of Revenue; amend KRS 131.190 to conform; amend KRS 68.180, 68.197, 91.200, and 92.300 to exclude all income of any centenarian from occupational license fees or taxes.

Dec 06, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB140 (BR284) - J. Glenn, G. Brown Jr, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to the state spirit.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to designate bourbon as the official state spirit of Kentucky.

Dec 06, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)

HB141 (BR421)/LM - L. Elkins

AN ACT relating to the election of board members of library districts.

Create a new section of KRS 173.450 to 173.650 to provide for the election of board members to public library districts; amend KRS 173.480 to remove references to appointment and integrate election protocols; create a new section of KRS 173.710 to 800 to provide for the election of board members to public library districts formed by petition; amend KRS 173.725 to remove references to appointment and integrate election protocols; amend KRS 173.650 to specify that the certification of election results other than for the election of library board members are certified by the county judge/executive in each county; amend KRS 118.305 to allow candidates for library boards to be placed on the ballot; amend KRS 118.315 to include candidates for library boards within nomination protocols for election; amend KRS 118.365 to allow candidates for library boards to be

integrated with the petition of nomination process for elections; repeal KRS 173.490, relating to the boards of public library districts and KRS 173.730, relating to the boards of library districts formed by petition; establish that the terms of appointed board members expire upon the election and qualification of elected board members; EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2022

Dec 06, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Local Government (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee

HB142 (BR239)/FN/LM - L. Bechler, D. Hale, K. King, S. Lee, M. Prunty

AN ACT prohibiting the payment of public agency funds to any entity that performs, induces, refers for, or counsels in favor of abortions.
Amend KRS 311.715 to provide that public agency funds shall not be paid to any entity, organization, or individual that performs, induces, refers for, or counsels in favor of abortions; establish exceptions.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Jan 14, 2020 - posted in committee

HB143 (BR461)/FN - J. Tipton, J. Blanton, R. Bridges, G. Brown Jr, J. DuPlessis, R. Goforth, D. Graham, J. Graviss, D. Hale, C. Harris, M. Hart, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, C. Massey, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, D. Schamore, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to state employee compensation.
Amend KRS 18A.355 to provide for an annual cost of living adjustment for state employees with the cost of living adjustment being the average of the consumer price index for the two calendar years prior to the biennium and not less than zero; and amend KRS 18A.110 to conform.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 11, 2020 - recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB144 (BR361) - R. Wiederstein

AN ACT relating to low-volume surgery requirements.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 216B to establish a low-volume surgery requirement and registry for hospitals and surgeons in the Commonwealth.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB145 (BR930) - T. Huff, R. Goforth, D. Hale, W. Thomas

AN ACT relating to motor vehicle titles.
Amend KRS 186A.170, to require delivery of a motor vehicle title upon which there is a security interest to the holder of the security interest rather than the owner of the vehicle; amend KRS 186.045 to require the holder of a security interest who has possession of a vehicle title to transmit that title to the owner when the security interest has been paid in full; set forth procedures for cases when the title is not transferred; amend KRS 186A.180, 186A.190, and 186.170 to conform.

Dec 27, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Transportation (H)

HB146 (BR976) - C. Freeland, D. Lewis, C. Massey, M. Prunty, B. Reed, R. Rothenburger, W. Thomas

AN ACT relating to Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarships.
Amend KRS 164.7879 to allow a student who attends an out of state high school or Department of Defense school due to a parent's military transfer to earn a KEES award.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB147 (BR351) - R. Wiederstein, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, N. Kulkarni, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to solitary confinement of juveniles.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 15A to limit use of solitary confinement for juveniles and require reporting of data on its use.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB148 (BR272)/FN - C. Howard, C. Booker, M. Marzian

AN ACT relating to the regulation of cannabis and making an appropriation therefor.
Establish KRS Chapter 245 and create a section to define terms such as "cannabis accessory", "cannabis product", "immature cannabis plant", "indoor cultivator", "mature cannabis plant", and "outdoor cultivator"; create new sections of KRS Chapter 245 to require cannabis to be tracked from seed to consumer; establish license types, application fees, and license fees, and to direct license fees to the permanent pension fund; define sizes for cultivator license types; specify allowed transactions for each license type; set parameters for the home grower permit; require the board to promulgate an administrative regulation for license applications; set license length at one year and allow the board to establish renewal system; limit cannabis retail locations to one for every two thousand three hundred persons per county; require cannabis retail stores to be separate from other store and only carry cannabis, cannabis products, and cannabis accessories; create requirements for child-proof packaging and labeling; establish procedures for license denial and a hearing in accordance with KRS Chapter 13B; establish payments in lieu of suspension for licensees and direct the funds to the permanent pension fund and the agency's revolving trust and agency account; establish minimum age of twenty-one to use or buy cannabis and create status offense for minors under eighteen; ban smoking cannabis in public; and require signs in retail locations regarding minors and the US Surgeon General's statement on cannabis; create new sections of KRS Chapter 138 to define "cannabis", "cannabis administrator", and "cannabis product"; set wholesale tax rates and payment schedules for cannabis cultivator and processor licensees, allow local governments to impose up to a 5% regulatory license fee on cannabis licensees in their territory; establish conditions for tax liability; impose civil penalties for tax violations; create a new section of KRS Chapter 245 to set conditions for the cannabis tax rates effective July 1, 2026 and beyond; amend KRS 2.015 to exempt cannabis from age of majority; amend KRS 42.205 to include licensing and permit fees, payments in lieu of suspension, and moneys from wholesale taxes to go to the permanent pension fund and to be distributed quarterly to KERS nonhazardous and TRS funds; amend KRS 241.020 to include a Division of Cannabis in the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control; amend KRS 241.030 to add administrator of the Division of Cannabis; amend KRS 241.060 to add supervision of the cultivation, processing, testing, and trafficking of cannabis to the board's duties; amend KRS 241.090 to add cannabis to search provisions; amend KRS 243.025 to direct application fees for cannabis licenses into the agency revolving trust account; amend KRS 218A.1421 to exempt cannabis licenses from trafficking statute; amend KRS 218A.1422 to exempt one ounce of marijuana from possession statute; amend KRS 218A.1423 to permit cannabis cultivator licensees and home grower permits to cultivate under their license or permit; amend KRS 218A.500 to exclude cannabis accessories from drug paraphernalia; create a new section of KRS Chapter 431 to create process for expungement of marijuana misdemeanor charges and to waive fees; amend KRS 431.079 to exclude need for certification of eligibility for expungement; amend KRS 131.1815 to include cannabis licensees in delinquent taxpayer statute; amend KRS 600.020 to include cannabis offenses in the definition of status offense; amend KRS 12.020 to create Division of Cannabis within the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB149 (BR873) - R. Webber, C. Massey, J. Miller

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 70 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to the election of Governor and Lieutenant Governor.
Propose to amend Section 70 of the Kentucky Constitution to require a Governor to name his or her Lieutenant Governor within 30 days of receiving the nomination for Governor.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB150 (BR418) - J. Fischer, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to the interpretation of laws and declaring an emergency.
Create a new section of Subtitle 1 of KRS Chapter 304 to provide that a statement of law in the American Law Institute's Restatement of the Law, Liability Insurance does not constitute the law or public policy of the Commonwealth when in conflict with listed authority; amend KRS 304.1-120 to apply Section 1 of the Act to the listed organizations; provide short title; EMERGENCY.

HB150 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Delete original provisions; create a new section of KRS Chapter 446 to state that a statement or restatement of law in a legal treatise is not the law of Kentucky and is not to be considered controlling authority; EMERGENCY.
HCA1(J. Fischer) - Make title amendment.
HFA1(J. Fischer) - Specify that a court may use a legal treatise or publication as informative or persuasive authority; delete short title.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Banking & Insurance (H)
Jan 09, 2020 - reassigned to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1) and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020; floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 12, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 60-35 with Committee Substitute (1), floor amendment (1), and committee amendment (1-title)
Feb 13, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

HB151 (BR1038) - M. Dossett, B. Reed, L. Bechler, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to school building projects.
Amend KRS 162.070 to increase the minimum amount for advertising and bidding school building projects from $7,500 to $30,000.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 28, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 29, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 30, 2020 - posted for passage in

the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 31, 2020
Jan 31, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 85-1
Feb 03, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 05, 2020 - to Education (S)

HB152 (BR457) - A. Scott, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to creative arts therapies.
Amend KRS 309.130 and 309.131 to change the name of the Kentucky Board of Licensure for Professional Art Therapists to the Kentucky Board of Creative Arts Therapies; increase the board membership to six members; require three of the board members to be licensed professional art therapists; require two members of the board to be a registered drama therapist, board-certified dance/movement therapist, or board-certified music therapist; require professional drama therapists, dance/movement therapists, or music therapists to be appointed from lists of names submitted by the corresponding disciplines' associations.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB153 (BR313) - K. Moser, K. Banta, L. Bechler, D. Bentley, T. Bojanowski, D. Frazier, C. Freeland, A. Gentry, D. Graham, J. Graviss, R. Heath, R. Huff, T. Huff, J. Jenkins, A. Koenig, S. Lewis, C. Massey, R. Meeks, C. Miller, P. Minter, J. Nemes, R. Palumbo, M. Prunty, S. Riley, S. Santoro, S. Sheldon, N. Tate, W. Thomas, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to mental health first aid training and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 210 to establish the Kentucky Mental Health First Aid Training Program or similar program to be administered by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, subject to appropriation by the General Assembly or funding from other sources; list objectives of the training program; direct how grants are to be awarded; require the cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations to implement the program; create the Kentucky Mental Health First Aid Training fund; require moneys from the fund to be used for the training program.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 22, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 23, 2020
Jan 23, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 93-0
Jan 24, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

HB154 (BR1001) - C. Massey, K. Banta

AN ACT relating to powers of appointment.
Establish KRS Chapter 390 and create new sections thereof to define various terms; specify the governing law over a power of appointment; state that common law supplements this chapter; outline the creation of a power of appointment; prohibit the transfer of a power of appointment; specify general presumptions upon a power of appointment's creation; make an exception to the general presumption about a power of appointment; define "adverse party"; allow a donor to revoke or amend a power of appointment in certain instances; state when a power of appointment may be exercised; provide that a residuary clause manifests a powerholder's intent to exercise a power of appointment; state that a blanket-exercise clause extends to a power acquired by the powerholder after executing the instrument containing the clause; require substantial compliance with a formal requirement of appointment; outline permissible appointments; provide that appointment to a deceased appointee is ineffective and appointment to an impermissible appointee is ineffective; require a powerholder's intent to be carried out in cases of selective allocation; establish the procedure for disposition of property ineffectively appointed; provide for the disposition of unappointed property under released or unexercised general power; provide for the disposition of unappointed property under released or unexercised nongeneral power; provide for the disposition of unappointed property if partial appointment is to the taker in default; provide for the disposition of property appointed to the taker in default; allow a powerholder to revoke or amend an exercise; allow a powerholder to disclaim a power of appointment or contract to appoint or not appoint any property subject to the power; allow a powerholder to release a power of appointment; state the method in which a powerholder may release a power of appointment; allow a powerholder to revoke or amend a release of power; allow a powerholder of a presently exercisable power of appointment and a not presently exercisable power of appointment to contract; establish a remedy for a powerholder's breach of a contract to appoint or not to appoint appointive property; outline the rights of a powerholder's creditors in appointive property; state when appointive property is subject to a claim when the power is general; state when appointive property is subject to a claim when the power is nongeneral; require uniformity of interpretation and application with regard to other states that have enacted this Act; specify how the enactment of this Act affects existing powers of appointment; provide that KRS Chapter 390 may be known as the Kentucky Uniform Powers of Appointment Act; amend KRS 381.225 to provide that a new perpetuities period may be started when a power of appointment is exercised, if the person exercising the power so provides; amend KRS 381.226 to exclude any interest in property created by the exercise of a special power of appointment granted by an instrument that was irrevocable on September 25, 1985, from being construed as requiring the interests to vest within the period specified in KRS 381.224, 381.225, and 381.226; repeal KRS 386.095, 394.060, and 394.070, which relate to exercise and release of powers.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 04, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 92-0
Feb 05, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

HB155 (BR1002) - C. Massey

AN ACT relating to property and trusts.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 386 to establish the Kentucky Community Property Trust Act; set requirements for creation of community property trusts by spouses; amend KRS 141.019, relating to individual income tax, to provide that adjusted gross income does not include a change in the cost basis of the surviving spouse's share of property owned by a Kentucky community property trust occurring for federal income tax purposes; amend KRS 386.175 to provide that a second trust may be created from an original trust whose terms have been modified; create a new section of KRS Chapter 396 to provide that creditor claims are barred if not presented within 6 months after the appointment of a personal representative or if not presented within 60 days of a personal representative giving actual notice to the creditor; amend KRS 396.011 to require creditor claims to be brought within the earlier of 8 months after the decedent's death or the established time periods.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 04, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 94-0
Feb 05, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

HB156 (BR1003) - C. Massey

AN ACT relating to Uniform Fiduciary Access to Digital Assets Act.
Establish KRS Chapter 395A and create new sections thereof to enact the Revised Uniform Fiduciary Access to Digital Assets Act to establish a framework for the management and disposition of digital assets upon death or incapacitation; define terms; set forth the applicability of the chapter to fiduciaries, personal representatives, conservators, and trustees, and provide that the chapter does not apply to a digital asset of an employer that is used by an employee in the ordinary course of business; prioritize user directions regarding disclosure over certain terms-of-service agreements; provide that the Act does not impair custodian and user access to records under terms-of-service agreements; establish procedures for disclosing digital assets; enumerate documentation required for a personal representative to gain access to content of electronic communications; enumerate documentation required to access digital assets other than the content of a decedent's electronic communications; enumerate documentation required for a person with power of attorney to gain access to the content of electronic communications of principal; enumerate documentation required to access digital assets other than the content of a principal's electronic communications; authorize disclosure to trustees who are original users of a trust's digital assets; enumerate documentation required for content disclosure to a trustee; enumerate documentation required for disclosure of a trust's digital assets other than content; enumerate documentation required for a conservator to gain access to a protected person's digital assets; apply fiduciary duties and authority to digital assets; provide compliance guidelines for the custodians of digital records; require that the chapter be applied to promote uniformity among the states; establish conformity with federal requirements related to electronic signatures and records; provide that the chapter may be cited as the Revised Uniform Fiduciary Access to Digital Assets Act (2015).

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 04, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 93-1
Feb 05, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

HB157 (BR903)/LM - C. Howard

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 32 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to terms of members of the General Assembly.
Propose to amend Section 32 of the Constitution of Kentucky to prevent Senators from serving more than four terms of office, not including partial terms of two years or less, and to prevent members of the House of Representatives from serving more than six terms of office, not including partial terms of two years or less, beginning with those elected in November 2022; provide ballot language; submit to voters for ratification or rejection.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB158 (BR925)/LM - B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to flavored vapor products.

Amend KRS 438.305 to include definitions for "flavored vapor product" and "characterizing flavor"; create a new section of KRS 438.305 to 438.340 to ban the sale, purchase, and distribution of flavored vapor products in the Commonwealth including online transactions; establish the fines for violations.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB159 (BR63) - S. Westrom
Jan 13-WITHDRAWN

HB160 (BR931)/FN - T. Huff, R. Webber, D. Hale, S. Maddox, M. Meredith, K. Moser, S. Sheldon, J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to the sponsorship of Transportation Cabinet facilities and vehicles and making an appropriation therefor.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 174 to direct the Transportation Cabinet to implement a commercial sponsorship program for facilities and vehicles and allocate the profits of the program to the maintenance account within the road fund.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Transportation (H)

HB161 (BR997)/CI/LM - C. Massey

AN ACT relating to theft.

Amend KRS 514.030 to raise the threshold level of property value for a Class D felony for theft by unlawful taking or disposition from $500 to $1,500.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee

HB162 (BR154)/LM - D. Schamore, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to the recall of elected officials.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 63 establishing a procedure for the recall of any elected sheriff, jailer, constable, or peace officer; amend KRS 63.990 to include a criminal penalty for giving money or anything of value in exchange for a signature on a petition.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Local Government (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee

HB163 (BR155)/LM - D. Schamore

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Sections 30, 31, and 32 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to terms of members of the General Assembly.

Propose to amend Sections 30 and 31 of the Constitution of Kentucky to elect Senators for terms of six years beginning in November, 2022, for even-numbered Senatorial districts and beginning in November, 2024, for odd-numbered Senatorial districts, and Representatives for terms of four years beginning in November, 2022; propose to amend Section 32 of the Constitution of Kentucky to prevent Senators from serving more than two consecutive six-year terms of office, and prevent Representatives from serving more than three consecutive four-year terms of office, beginning with those elected in November 2022; allow legislators to resume service in the chamber from which they were term-limited after a full term of office has elapsed; provide ballot language; submit to voters for ratification or rejection.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB164 (BR372) - R. Brenda

AN ACT relating to involuntary termination of parental rights.

Amend KRS 625.060 to specify the rights of a foster parent related to involuntary termination of parental rights cases.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB165 (BR1024) - K. Hinkle, G. Brown Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to nonteaching time for teachers.

Amend KRS 158.060 to require teachers to be provided a minimum of 120 minutes per week for nonteaching activities; specify types of teacher-directed activities to be completed during nonteaching time.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB166 (BR1025) - K. Hinkle, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to boards of education.

Amend KRS 160.280 to require local school board members to be offered health insurance at the same rates offered to district employees.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HB167 (BR1042) - D. Meade , L. Bechler, R. Brenda, D. Elliott, C. Freeland, C. Massey, M. Prunty, B. Reed, S. Sheldon

AN ACT relating to involuntary termination of parental rights and declaring an emergency.

Amend KRS 625.060 and 625.070 to specify the rights of a foster parent related to involuntary termination of parental rights cases.

HB167 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions and establish a new section declaring that an emergency exists and that the bill will become effective upon passage and approval of the Governor or upon its otherwise becoming a law.
HCA1(K. Moser) - Make title amendment.
HFA1(J. Hoover) - Amend to specify that courtesy copies of petitions shall be served in any manner provided in the Rules of Civil Procedure.
HFA2(J. Hoover) - Amend to specify that courtesy copies of petitions shall be served in any manner provided in the Rules of Civil Procedure.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute and committee amendment (1-title); floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Jan 16, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 17, 2020
Jan 21, 2020 - floor amendment (2) filed to Committee Substitute
Jan 22, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 92-0 with Committee Substitute (1), floor amendment (2), and committee amendment (1-title)
Jan 23, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

HB168 (BR310) - K. Moser, K. Flood, D. Graham, C. Massey, P. Minter, R. Palumbo, M. Prunty, M. Sorolis, J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to legislative ethics.

Create new sections of KRS 6.601 to 6.849 to make it ethical misconduct for a legislator, legislative agent, or director of the Legislative Research Commission to intentionally engage in discrimination, harassment, or sexual harassment; define "discrimination," "harassment," and "sexual harassment"; declare that if a provision of KRS 6.601 to 6.849 is designated a misdemeanor or felony, an alleged violation of the provision may be adjudicated by the Legislative Ethics Commission as ethical misconduct; amend KRS 6.686 to allow dismissal of complaints by the Legislative Ethics Commission based upon an affirmative vote of at least 5 members at a regularly scheduled meeting or, upon written or oral notification by the chair, a teleconference meeting that the preliminary inquiry fails to state a claim of an ethics violation; allow complaints to be filed against former legislators, former legislative agents, and former employers of legislative agents for extended periods if they are related to discrimination, harassment, or sexual harassment; amend KRS 6.701 to include legislative branch employees in mandatory ethics education already required for legislators; amend KRS 6.711 to remove the requirement that orientation courses be designed to receive continuing legal education ethics credit; amend KRS 6.716 to require the Legislative Ethics Commission to administer a current issues seminar for legislative branch employees in addition to the existing requirement for legislators and to reduce the length of the current issues seminar for legislators from three to two hours; amend KRS 7.101 to require the Legislative Research Commission to coordinate the development and presentation of a training course regarding workplace harassment for legislators with the assistance of the Legislative Ethics Commission.

HB168 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions, except delete provisions concerning whether an incident is welcomed by the person to whom it is directed as a factor in determining whether sexual harassment has occurred.
HCS2 - Retain original provisions, except: delete references to "intentionally"; delete references to "harassment" except for "sexual harassment"; specify that a single incident may constitute sexual harassment if linked to an employment benefit or is severe; specify that applicable criminal statutes of limitation shall not apply to ethical misconduct under KRS 6.601 to 6.849; require that allegations of discrimination and sexual harassment by an employee of the legislative branch shall be communicated by the director of the Legislative Ethics Commission to the human resources director of the Legislative Research Commission; and require all proceedings conducted and documents created be kept confidential.
HFA1(K. Flood) - Amend new section of KRS 6.601 to 6.849 to make it ethical misconduct for a legislator, legislative agent, or director of the Legislative Research Commission to engage in discrimination, harassment, or sexual harassment.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 27, 2020 - taken from the Orders of the Day; recommitted to State Government (H)
Jan 28, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, to Rules with Committee Substitute (2); posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 31, 2020
Jan 31, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 85-0 with Committee Substitute (2)
Feb 03, 2020 - received in Senate

HB169 (BR411) - M. Hart, T. Bojanowski, T. Burch, K. Flood, A. Gentry, J. Graviss, J. Jenkins, R. Palumbo, N. Tate, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to individuals with intellectual and developmental

disabilities.
Create a new section of KRS 210.005 to 210.366 to establish the rights of individuals with intellectual disabilities; cite as the Frank Huffman Act.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB170 (BR996)/FN - C. Massey

AN ACT relating to felony mediation.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 421 to allow victims of felonies to request felony mediation; require the Chief Justice to maintain a list of felony mediators.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee

HB171 (BR292)/AA/LM - J. DuPlessis, J. Graviss, J. Miller, S. Sheldon, J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to retirement costs for Kentucky Retirement Systems employers, declaring an emergency, and making an appropriation therefor.
Repeal, reenact, and amend KRS 61.565 to change the Kentucky Employees Retirement System's nonhazardous employer contribution payable on or after July 1, 2020, from a percentage of pay for both the normal cost contribution and the actuarially accrued liability contribution to a normal cost that is a percent of pay and an actuarially accrued liability contribution that is a set dollar amount; provide that the set dollar amount for the actuarially accrued liability contribution for KERS nonhazardous funds shall be allocated to each individual employer based upon the employer's percent share of the liability as of the June 30, 2019 actuarial valuation and shall be paid by employers in equal installments monthly; provide criteria for when adjustments to the dollar value and percent share may occur; make technical, clerical, and conforming amendments and to conform to a recent court decision; create a new section of KRS Chapter 42 to establish the Kentucky retirement contribution assistance fund; provide that the purpose of the fund shall be to assist health departments, community mental health centers, and certain other quasi-governmental employers in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System with financial assistance in paying employer contribution rates to the system; specify that funds shall be disbursed by the state budget director and provide criteria for disbursement; amend KRS 61.510 to confirm to a recent court decision as it relates to a definition used for purposes of KRS 61.565; provide that Kentucky Retirement Systems shall amend the 2019 actuarial valuation in accordance with the amendments to KRS 61.565 in this Act and provide updated employer contributions to the Governor and General Assembly; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.

HB171 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/AA/LM - Retain original provisions except to: reset the unfunded liability amortization period for nonhazardous employers in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System to 27 years in the 2019 actuarial valuation (currently 24 years); to remove Section 2 relating to the Kentucky retirement contribution assistance fund; and to make technical and conforming amendments. APPROPRIATION. EMERGENCY
HFA1(J. DuPlessis) - Retain original provisions except to: provide that a single rate shall be provided for agencies in the legislative and judicial branch who participate in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System (KERS); provide that if a KERS employer merges, splits, separates, or establishes a new agency, the systems shall have full authority to allocate the costs to any employer or entity that results from the split, separation, or establishment of a new agency; amend KRS 212.792 to specify the allocation of retirement costs as provided by the bill in the event an independent health district ceases to exist or has a county to withdraw from the district; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Feb 12, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 13, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 90-0 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendment (1)
Feb 14, 2020 - received in Senate

HB172 (BR856) - M. Cantrell, G. Brown Jr, A. Gentry, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to preserving families that include a parent who is blind.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 405 relating to parents or prospective parents with blindness; define terms; establish rights of parents or prospective parents with blindness.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HB173 (BR843) - M. Cantrell, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to uninsured motorist coverage.
Amend KRS 304.20-020 to add property damage in limits set forth in KRS 304.39-110 as part of the minimum coverage required under the section for insureds who are legally entitled to recover damages from owners or operators of uninsured motor vehicles; make technical amendments; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Banking & Insurance (H)
Jan 16, 2020 - posted in committee

HB174 (BR965)/LM - C. Freeland, B. Reed

AN ACT relating to public records and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 61.878 to exclude from the Open Records Act gruesome photographs or videos of persons prepared, owned, used, possessed, or retained by public agencies.

HB174 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/LM - Amend KRS 61.878 to exclude from the Open Records Act photographs or videos that depict a person's death, killing, rape, or sexual assault or abuse; amend KRS 61.872 to make technical changes; cite as the Bailey Holt-Preston Cope Victims Privacy Act; EMERGENCY.

Dec 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

HB175 (BR185)/FN - S. Sheldon, S. Heavrin, R. Huff, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to exemptions from fees for operator's licenses and personal identification cards.
Amend KRS. 186.531 to waive fees for vehicle operator's licenses, identification cards, and other forms of travel identification for certain disabled veterans.

Dec 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Transportation (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee

HB176 (BR320)/LM - J. Raymond, G. Brown Jr, A. Scott, C. Stevenson, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to employment provisions for employees on parental leave.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 337 to require employers with 50 or more employees to provide twelve weeks of paid parental leave for an employee who has been employed for at least one year; allow an employee to waive the paid parental leave; provide for the promulgation of administrative regulations.

Dec 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB177 (BR370) - J. Blanton
Jan 10-WITHDRAWN

HB178 (BR358)/CI/LM - T. Branham Clark, T. Bojanowski, J. Graviss, M. Hart, N. Kulkarni, R. Palumbo, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to assault on a service animal.
Amend KRS 525.200 to include assistance animals in the definition of "service animals" that are covered by assault on a service animal in the first degree.

Dec 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB179 (BR475)/HM - C. Stevenson, J. Sims Jr, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, K. Flood, A. Gentry, J. Glenn, D. Graham, J. Graviss, C. Harris, A. Hatton, K. Hinkle, C. Howard, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, R. Meyer, C. Miller, P. Minter, R. Palumbo, R. Rand, J. Raymond, D. Schamore, M. Sorolis, W. Stone, A. Tackett Laferty, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to surprise billing.
Amend KRS 304.17A-005 to define "balance billing," "cost sharing," and other terms; create new sections of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to require the insurance commissioner or a designated nonprofit organization to establish and maintain a database of billed health care services charges collected from insurers; define "unanticipated out-of-network care," "covered person" and "usual and customary rate"; require an insurer to reimburse for unanticipated out-of-network care at the lower of the billed amount or the usual and customary rate less any cost sharing owed by the covered person; prohibit balance billing from a provider who has been reimbursed as required; allow a provider to bill for any applicable cost-sharing requirements owed by the covered person; amend KRS18A.225, 304.17A-0954, 304.17A-096, 304.17A-500, 304.17A-580, 304.17A-649, 304.17B-001, 304.17B-015, 304.17B-033, 304.17C-010, 304.18-114, 304.38A-010, and 304.39-241 to conform; repeal KRS 304.17A-640; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Dec 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB180 (BR983) - C. Stevenson, G. Brown Jr, J. Raymond

AN ACT relating to health care insurance waiting periods.
Create a new section of Chapter 337 to eliminate health insurance waiting periods for new employees; amend KRS 337.900 to add a penalty for failure to provide insurance to employee from first day of employment.

Dec 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB181 (BR1008)/AA/LM - A. Gentry, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Section 226 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to casino gaming.
Propose to amend Section 226 of the Constitution of Kentucky to authorize the General Assembly to define, permit, and regulate casino gaming; require that

proceeds be used to pay for oversight of casino gaming; mandate that 100 percent of proceeds in excess of oversight costs go to specified retirement systems prior to July 1, 2040; allow the General Assembly to allocate all proceeds in excess of oversight costs after July 1, 2040; submit to voters.

Dec 13, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB182 (BR1012)/FN - R. Palumbo, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT creating an income tax credit for the purchase and installation of electric vehicle supply equipment.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to establish the electric vehicle supply equipment tax credit for a qualified individual in an amount equal to the lesser of 50% of the installed cost of the equipment or $1,000; require reporting by the Department of Revenue; amend KRS 141.0205 to order the credit; amend KRS 131.190 to allow the Department of Revenue to share data about the tax credit with the Legislative Research Commission.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB183 (BR1146)/CI/LM - S. Miles, J. Petrie, T. Bojanowski, G. Brown Jr, S. Heavrin, C. Massey, J. Miller, R. Palumbo, P. Pratt, D. Schamore, M. Sorolis, N. Tate, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to human trafficking.
Amend KRS 17.500 to add a felony offense of KRS 529.100 or 529.110 involving commercial sexual activity to the definition of "sex crime"; create a new section of KRS Chapter 183 to require airports to post the hotline number of the National Human Trafficking Resource Center in all restrooms; create a new section of KRS Chapter 281 to require truck stops to post the hotline number of the National Human Trafficking Resource Center in all restrooms.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee

HB184 (BR880) - R. Rothenburger, J. Blanton, A. Bowling, R. Goforth, R. Huff, D. Lewis, B. McCool, P. Pratt, D. Schamore, W. Thomas

AN ACT relating to fire protection and making an appropriation therefor.
Amend KRS 95A.520 and 95A.540, relating to volunteer fire department mergers, to make it applicable to volunteer fire departments merging prior to the effective date of the Act; create a new section of KRS Chapter 95A to provide that for volunteer fire departments merging after the effective date of the Act, the Fire Commission shall pay to the departments the number of qualified shares of volunteer fire department aid each is entitled to for a period of 20 years after the date of the merger, upon the expiration of which the merged department shall receive only one share; provide contingency protocols if the merged fire department becomes unqualified; amend KRS 95A.540 to apply contingency protocols of new volunteer fire department for fire departments merging prior to the effective date of the act; create a new section of KRS Chapter 95A to provide a contingency protocol if a new volunteer fire department is created out of the merged one during the 20 year period; amend KRS 95A.262 to increase the volunteer fire department aid to $15,000 annually from $11,000 annually.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee

HB185 (BR238) - R. Heath, L. Elkins, A. Gentry, J. Graviss, D. Hale, C. Massey, R. Palumbo, B. Reed, S. Riley, R. Rothenburger

AN ACT proposing an amendment to Sections 30 and 31 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to terms for members of the Kentucky House of Representatives.
Propose to amend Sections 30 and 31 of the Constitution of Kentucky to provide four-year terms of office for members of the Kentucky House of Representatives beginning with those elected from even-numbered districts in November 2022 and with those elected from odd-numbered districts in November 2024.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB186 (BR851) - P. Pratt, B. Reed, S. Sheldon, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to direct sellers.
Amend KRS 337.010 to exclude direct sellers from the definition of employee in regards to payment of wages; amend KRS 342.650 to exempt direct sellers from coverage in regards to workers' compensation; amend KRS 341.055 to exclude direct sellers from "covered employment" in regards to unemployment compensation.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Small Business & Information Technology (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 22, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 59-33
Jan 23, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Economic Development, Tourism, and Labor (S)
Jan 28, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 29, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 30, 2020
Jan 30, 2020 - passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day
Jan 31, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 25-7; received in House; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House
Feb 03, 2020 - enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; delivered to Governor
Feb 11, 2020 - signed by Governor (Acts ch. 2)

HB187 (BR818) - P. Pratt

AN ACT relating to tax rebates for certain state-owned facilities.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 139, which provides definitions for the section, and states that certain state agencies may receive a sales tax rebate of up to 100% of sales tax generated by the sales of tangible personal property at a public facility.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB188 (BR138) - K. King

AN ACT relating to legislative procedures for state fiscal measures.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 6 to require roll call votes on any state fiscal measure, including an appropriation or revenue-raising measure, voted upon in the Senate or House of Representatives or a committee thereof; require identification of any state fiscal measure by the director of the Legislative Research Commission upon request of a legislator or determination by the Senate or House of Representatives or a committee thereof; require separate votes for any state fiscal measure.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB189 (BR144)/CI/LM - L. Bechler

AN ACT relating to the sexual endangerment of a child and declaring an emergency.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 510 to make the sexual endangerment of a child a Class D felony; EMERGENCY.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee

HB190 (BR331) - K. Bratcher, T. Bojanowski, R. Goforth, C. Massey, M. Prunty

AN ACT relating to education.
Amend KRS 158.148 to require that the code of acceptable behavior and discipline include appropriate reporting and escalation requirements of incidents of bullying, time requirements for investigation and response of incidents of bullying, and procedures for appeal and review of each incident of bullying.

HB190 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(J. Hoover) - Amend to remove the requirement of a written response.
HFA2(J. Raymond) - Amend to include procedures to prevent future acts of bullying and provide support to victims.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Education (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 17, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 21, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 22, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed
Jan 24, 2020 - floor amendment (2) filed
Jan 27, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, January 28, 2020
Jan 29, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0 with floor amendments (1) and (2)
Jan 30, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Education (S)

HB191 (BR428) - M. Cantrell, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to motor vehicle accidents.
Amend KRS 189.635 to require business operators to notify law enforcement of a vehicle delivered to the business in a damaged condition; amend KRS 189.990 to make it a Class A misdemeanor for a driver to not report an accident if he or she knew or should have known that the vehicle was involved in an accident that resulted in death or serious physical injury and for a business operator not to report a damaged vehicle.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HB192 (BR1117)/CI/LM - J. Donohue, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to firearms and making an appropriation therefor.
Amend KRS 527.010 to define "assault weapons" and "large-capacity ammunition-feeding devices"; create a new section of KRS Chapter 527 to criminalize possession and transfer of unregistered large-capacity ammunition-feeding devices; create a new section of KRS Chapter 527 to establish a large-capacity ammunition-feeding device registration program under the Department of Kentucky State Police and to authorize a fee and trust account and make an appropriation; create a new section of KRS Chapter 527 to criminalize the possession of unregistered assault weapons and to require the owners of registered assault weapons to store the weapons in a manner which renders them inoperable to unauthorized users; create a new section of KRS Chapter 237 to establish the assault weapons registration program and a weapons buyback program under the Department of Kentucky State Police and to authorize a fee and trust account and make an appropriation; amend KRS 16.220 and 237.104 to exempt weapons from the buyback program from prohibitions on the destruction of certain weapons.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB193 (BR888)/LM - J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to sales and use tax exemptions.
Amend KRS 139.480 to exempt from sales and use tax tangible personal property purchased by a person for incorporation into a structure or improvement to real property under a contract with the federal, state, or local government, or a resident, nonprofit

educational, charitable, or religious institution; apply to sales made after October 1, 2020, but before October 1, 2024; require the Department of Revenue to report the claimed exemptions to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue; amend KRS 131.190 to give the Department authority to provide the report to LRC.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB194 (BR1052)/AA - J. Miller, J. DuPlessis, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, K. Flood, D. Lewis, R. Rand, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, J. Tipton, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to actuarial analysis on retirement bills.

Amend KRS 6.350 to establish additional requirements for the completion of the actuarial analysis required for bills pertaining to state-administered retirement systems; specify additional requirements to be projecting costs/savings over a 30 year period rather than 20 years, completing the analysis in a format established by the Legislative Research Commission, and requiring the front page of the analysis to include summary information.

HB194 - AMENDMENTS

HFA1(D. Osborne) - Retain original provisions; provide that when the General Assembly is not in session and a pension bill has been pre-filed, the Legislative Research Commission (LRC) shall not transmit the request for an actuarial analysis unless authorized by the House Speaker or President of the Senate; provide that when the General Assembly is in session and a pension bill is filed, the retirement systems or its actuary shall not begin completion of an actuarial analysis on the bill until the LRC director or his or her designee notifies the system that the bill has been posted in committee or will be on a Senate committee agenda.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 23, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 24, 2020
Jan 27, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed
Jan 28, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 60-35 with floor amendment (1)
Jan 29, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 31, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB195 (BR1048)/LM - J. Miller, K. Banta, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to the publication of local government legal advertisements.

Create a new section of KRS 424.110 to 424.370 to give local governments the option to post required advertisements online on a notice Web site operated by local government in lieu of newspaper publication, so long as a one-time advertisement is published in an actual newspaper; specify requirements for advertisements published on the notice Web site and in an actual newspaper; specify rights of public and duties of local government; set out consequences of local government's failure to publish as required by law; provide penalty.

HB195 - AMENDMENTS

HCS1/LM - Retain original provisions of House Bill 195, amend definitions to cover only urban counties, consolidated local governments, charter counties, unified local governments, and counties of greater than 80,000, and cities, school districts, special districts and SPGE within those counties; increase requirement to six column inches; require full posting of addresses where advertisements may be viewed; create a new Section 2 to allow for errors of newspapers to post publication notices in a timely fashion; create a new Section 4 amending KRS 67.077 deleting the requirement for publication prior to passage, requiring all ordinances and amendments be published pursuant to KRS Chapter 424; and create a new Section 5 amending 83A.060 deleting "effective" and replacing it with "enforceable".
HFA1(J. Miller) - Amend HB 195/HCS by changing column inch requirement to no more than six column inches.
HFA2(R. Goforth) - Retain original provisions of House Bill 195, make provisions applicable to all cities and counties.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 14, 2020
Feb 18, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 19, 2020 - floor amendment (2) filed to Committee Substitute ; 3rd reading; floor amendment (2) defeated; passed 51-40 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendment (1)

HB196 (BR878) - W. Thomas, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to ophthalmic dispensers.

Amend KRS 326.080 to require the license renewal fee to be established by the board through promulgation of administrative regulation.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB197 (BR1092) - B. McCool, D. Frazier, D. Hale, C. Massey, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to pay for jury service and making an appropriation therefor.

Amend KRS 29A.170 to increase payment for jurors from five dollars to thirty dollars per day.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee

HB198 (BR74)/HM - C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to health benefit coverage of chronic pain treatments.

Create a new section of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to establish that any health benefit plan issued or renewed in the Commonwealth that provides coverage for hospital, medical, or surgical expenses, shall include coverage for chronic pain treatments provided by a licensed professional; create a new section of KRS Chapter 205 to require Medicaid and Medicaid managed care organizations to include coverage for chronic pain treatments provided by a licensed professional; amend KRS 218A.172 to require that a health care practitioner discuss and refer or prescribe alternative chronic pain treatments before initially prescribing or dispensing a controlled substance; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB199 (BR115) - L. Willner, P. Minter, K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, K. Flood, A. Gentry, D. Graham, C. Harris, C. Howard, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, R. Meyer, J. Nemes, R. Palumbo, J. Raymond, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein

AN ACT relating to mental health protection and declaring an emergency.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 210 define conversion therapy, mental health professional, and public funds; to prohibit mental health professionals from engaging in conversion therapy with a person under eighteen (18) years of age or a person who is eighteen (18) years or older who is an adult as defined in KRS 209.020 or a ward as defined in KRS 387.510 in conversion therapy; require violations to be subject to board discipline; prohibit public funds from being used for conversion therapy; add the short title "Mental Health Protection Act"; EMERGENCY.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB200 (BR892) - L. Willner, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, T. Burch, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, K. Flood, J. Glenn, J. Graviss, K. Hinkle, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, P. Minter, R. Palumbo, J. Raymond, A. Scott, J. Sims Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, A. Tackett Laferty, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to education.

Amend KRS 157.360 to reduce maximum class sizes by three.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB201 (BR487) - W. Stone

AN ACT relating to leasing of retail booths.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 383 to address booth rentals; provide remedies, including a booth operator's lien on personal property in the booth, for contract breach.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Feb 07, 2020 - posted in committee

HB202 (BR822) - D. Lewis

AN ACT relating to controlled substance prescription pill counts for pain management facility patients.

Amend KRS 218A.175 to require pain management facilities to require patients prescribed controlled substances to report for pill counts every 3 months; require the pain management facility to report on pill counts to the electronic system for monitoring controlled substances.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB203 (BR106)/CI - R. Wiederstein, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to juvenile competency in status and public offenses.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 610 to create a minimum age of criminal responsibility of 12 years of age; establish rules relating to the court's treatment of developmental immaturity, mental illness, and intellectual disability; amend various sections to conform.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB204 (BR473)/CI/LM - S. Maddox, M. Hart, K. King

AN ACT relating to sex offender registrants.

Amend KRS 17.545 to prohibit sex offender registrants from living within 1,000 feet of a publicly leased playground and from being on the grounds of a publicly leased playground.

HB204 - AMENDMENTS

HFA1(S. Maddox) - Clarify that all sex offender registrants, and not just those who have committed a criminal offense against a victim who is a minor, are prohibited from living within 1,000 feet of a publicly leased playground and from being on the grounds of a publicly leased playground.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 24, 2020
Jan 24, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed
Jan 28, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 86-9 with floor amendment (1)
Jan 29, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 31, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)

HB205 (BR444)/FN - K. Moser

AN ACT relating to the voluntary preceptor tax credit.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to establish an individual income tax

credit for Kentucky-licensed physicians who, as voluntary preceptors, administer at least three core clinical rotations for certain medical students; amend KRS 141.0205 to order the credit; amend KRS 131.190 to require reporting of statistics.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB206 (BR311) - K. Moser, J. Graviss, B. McCool

AN ACT relating to vision testing for motor vehicle operators.
Amend KRS 186.576 to define "trained vision assessor"; amend KRS 186.577 to require vision testing for operator's license renewal; allow an applicant to be exempt from visual acuity and visual field testing at the time of application if he or she submits a vision testing form completed by a trained vision assessor; direct the Transportation Cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations to implement this section; require the Transportation Cabinet to designate trained vision assessors who may perform vision testing; permit the Transportation Cabinet to develop a system for electronic transmission of driver vision testing forms; amend KRS 186.480 to conform; EFFECTIVE July 1, 2021.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HB207 (BR1051)/AA - J. Miller

AN ACT relating to the Kentucky Retirement Systems.
Housekeeping legislation for the Kentucky Retirement Systems; amend KRS 16.578 and 61.640 to apply the alternate death calculation to and reinstate the life annuity, 60 months certain, actuarial refund, and Social Security adjustment retirement options as written prior to 2009 legislation; amend KRS 61.598 to establish a minimum salary increase of 10% plus $1,000 over the prior year's salary in order for employee anti-pension spiking measures to apply; amend KRS 61.645 to remove requirement that Kentucky Retirement Systems' board election ballots be returned to a Kentucky post office box, rather than out-of-state vendor, remove requirement that ballot counting vendor be an actuarial firm, and make other conforming changes; amend KRS 61.510, 61.637, and 78.510 to change period under which reemployment of retiree would void status as a volunteer from 24 months to 12 months consistent with other retired reemployed categories; amend KRS 61.540 to remove requirement that failure to file statement of facts by member and employer will result in no benefits paid in order to conform language to other provisions in chapter; amend KRS 61.565 to use as maximum the rate for employers participating in the County Employees Retirement System, a factor of 1.12 over the prior fiscal year's contribution rate instead of language referencing projected dollars.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 23, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 24, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 27, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, January 28, 2020
Jan 29, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0
Jan 30, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB208 (BR1180) - R. Rothenburger, R. Goforth, K. Upchurch

AN ACT relating to commercial mobile radio service charges and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 65.7636 to remove the ability of Lifeline providers to bill and collect the CMRS service charge levied under the section from end users; make conforming changes; EMERGENCY.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 29, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 30, 2020
Feb 11, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 93-1
Feb 12, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 14, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

HB209 (BR483)/LM - J. Stewart III

AN ACT relating to coal severance tax.
Amend KRS 143.010 to eliminate the deduction for transportation expenses from coal severance tax.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB210 (BR484)/LM - J. Stewart III

AN ACT relating to natural resources severance and processing taxes.
Amend KRS 143A.010 to eliminate the deduction for transportation expenses from the natural resources severance and processing taxes.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB211 (BR209) - A. Tackett Laferty

AN ACT relating to workers' compensation.
Amend KRS 342.020 to require an employer to pay for medical benefits at the time of injury and thereafter during disability instead of 780 weeks; amend KRS 342.990 to conform.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB212 (BR921)/FN - A. Tackett Laferty, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, K. Flood, J. Graviss, D. Lewis, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to the taxation of pension income.
Amend KRS 141.019, relating to the individual income tax, to increase the pension income exclusion from $31,110 to $41,110.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB213 (BR1057) - J. Jenkins, D. Meade , T. Bojanowski, A. Gentry, N. Kulkarni, M. Prunty, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to mental healthcare for unaccompanied youth.
Amend KRS 214.185 to establish that any qualified mental health professional may provide outpatient mental health counseling to any child who is age 16 or older and is an unaccompanied youth.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 23, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 24, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 27, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, January 28, 2020
Jan 28, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 95-0
Jan 29, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 31, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

HB214 (BR848)/FN - J. Tipton, M. Prunty, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to the Veterinary Contract Spaces Program and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 164 to establish the Veterinary Contract Spaces Program; require the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority to administer the program; require the authority to purchase enrollment spaces annually for Kentucky students at participating veterinary schools; establish the Veterinary Contract Spaces Program trust fund; APPROPRIATION.

HB214 - AMENDMENTS
SCS1 - Retain original provisions; add a non-codified section affirming the General Assembly's intent that the Commonwealth's contract spaces relationship continue with Auburn University and Tuskegee University.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 24, 2020
Jan 27, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0
Jan 28, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

HB215 (BR1149) - J. Tipton, G. Brown Jr

AN ACT relating to minimum staffing requirements for long-term care facilities.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 216 to require staff-to-resident ratios in long-term care facilities as a condition of licensure or relicensure; establish minimum staffing requirements; prohibit long-term care facilities from admitting new residents if the facility fails to comply with the minimum staffing requirements, beginning on the second day of noncompliance and continuing until six days after the required staffing is achieved, with exceptions allowed for weather emergencies and other similar events; require additional staffing based on the needs of the residents; exempt intermediate-care facilities for persons with intellectual disabilities, institutions for the treatment of mental illnesses, personal care homes, and family care homes from the minimum staffing requirements; create a 17-member board to review staffing requirements on an annual basis; establish a civil fine of no more than $1,000 for each day that the staffing requirements are not maintained.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB216 (BR253)/CI/LM - W. Thomas, K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, T. Branham Clark, K. Bratcher, M. Cantrell, J. DuPlessis, K. Flood, C. Freeland, J. Graviss, M. Hart, S. Heavrin, R. Huff, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, S. Lewis, B. McCool, P. Minter, K. Moser, J. Nemes, D. Osborne, R. Palumbo, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, D. Schamore, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Willner, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to interpersonal violence.
Amend KRS 403.720 to include violence against an animal used as coercive conduct in the definition of "domestic violence and abuse"; amend KRS 403.740 to allow a judge to award possession of a domestic animal to the petitioner; amend KRS 456.010 to include violence against an animal used as coercive conduct in the definition of "dating violence and abuse"; amend KRs 456.060 to allow a judge to award possession of a domestic animal to the petitioner.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB217 (BR895) - W. Thomas, T. Bojanowski

AN ACT relating to licensed audiologists.
Amend KRS 334A.020 to include selling or fitting of hearing instruments in the definition of "the practice of audiology"; amend KRS 334.020 to allow audiologists licensed under KRS Chapter 334A to engage in the sale and practice of fitting hearing instruments.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB218 (BR365) - W. Thomas, T. Bojanowski

AN ACT relating to audiology and speech-language pathology.

Create a new section of KRS 334A.010 to 334A.990 to enact and enter into the Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Interstate Compact with all other jurisdictions that legally join in the compact; declare the purpose of the compact; establish definitions; recognize a multistate licensure privilege to practice for audiologists and speech-language pathologists; recognize a multistate licensure privilege for audiologists and speech-language pathologists to practice audiology and speech-language pathology via telehealth; establish provisions for active duty military personnel and their spouses; authorize a remote state to take adverse action against an audiologist or speech-language pathologist's privilege to practice within that member state; authorize a home state to take adverse action against an audiologist's or speech-language pathologist's license issued by the home state; create the Audiology and Speech-Language Pathology Compact Commission; provide immunity for party states, officers, employees, or representatives of the Commission who act in accordance with the provisions of the compact; require the Commission to create a database and reporting system containing licensure, adverse actions, and investigative information on all licensed individuals in member states; establish procedures for rulemaking; authorize the Commission to attempt to resolve disputes related to the compact that arise among member states and between member and non-member states; require provisions of the compact to become effective the day it is enacted into law once a state enters the Compact; provide for severability for any provision in the compact that is contrary to the constitution of any member state or of the United States or the applicability thereof to any government, agency, person, or circumstance.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB219 (BR196)/CI/LM - R. Meeks, A. Scott

AN ACT relating to body cameras.

Amend KRS 61.168 to provide that it is a Class D felony for a law enforcement officer operating a body-worn camera in any manner that would prevent the creation of evidence with the intent to obstruct justice.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB220 (BR1066) - R. Huff, D. Lewis, A. Bowling, R. Brenda, S. Lewis, C. Massey, S. Riley, B. Rowland

AN ACT relating to public charter school authorizer training.

Amend KRS 160.1596 to prevent requiring public charter school authorizer to receive training until after receipt of a charter application.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Education (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 28, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 29, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020

HB221 (BR157)/CI/LM - C. Booker, C. Howard, M. Marzian

AN ACT relating to marijuana possession.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 218A to make the penalty for possession of a personal use quantity of marijuana a prepayable non-criminal fine; amend KRS 218A.010 to define "personal use quantity of marijuana" and "marijuana accessory"; amend KRS 218A.1422 regarding marijuana possession to conform; amend KRS 218A.500 regarding drug paraphernalia to exempt personal use marijuana accessories; amend KRS 431.450 to include violations for possession of personal use quantities of marijuana in the uniform citation form; amend KRS 500.080 to exclude the offense of possession of a personal use quantity of marijuana from the definition of "violation"; and amend KRS 138.872 to exclude personal use quantities from marijuana stamp tax; create a new section of KRS Chapter 431 to allow expungement of convictions for possession of a personal use quantity of marijuana or marijuana accessories.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB222 (BR190) - C. Booker, A. Scott, S. Westrom, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to expungement of criminal records.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 431 to automatically expunge eligible misdemeanors, violations, and certain Class D felonies; amend KRS 431.078 and 431.073 to conform.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB223 (BR1086)/CI/LM - C. Freeland, K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, T. Branham Clark, M. Cantrell, J. DuPlessis, K. Flood, J. Graviss, M. Hart, S. Heavrin, R. Huff, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, S. Lewis, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, D. Schamore, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, W. Thomas, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to torture of a dog or cat.

Amend KRS 525.135, relating to torture of a dog or cat, to specify certain acts of torture; increase punishment to Class D felony.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB224 (BR301) - M. Marzian

AN ACT relating to patient-directed care at the end of life.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 311 to define terms; establish a qualified terminally ill patient's right to voluntarily request medication to self-administer to cause death; require conditions for making request; permit patient to rescind request at any time; permit an attending physician to provide medication; establish requirements for attending physician to inform patients and document request; require disposal of unused medications; establish residency requirements for qualified patients; require report by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; establish provisions for contracts, insurance policies, and beneficiaries; prohibit applicability of provisions to ending a patient's life by lethal injection, mercy killing, or active euthanasia; state that a health care provider is not required to provide medication to a qualified patient; permit health care providers to prohibit person or entities from participating in a qualified patient's request during or on the premises of employment; prohibit reporting a health care provider to a licensing board for participating in a qualified patient's request; state that actions under this Act do not authorize lethal injection, mercy killing or active euthanasia; state that actions under this Act do not constitute suicide or homicide; create a form for a qualified patient to make a request; create a form for an interpreter for a qualified patient making a request; create a new section of KRS 304.12 to establish provisions for insurance policies and beneficiaries of qualified patients; amend KRS 507.020 and KRS 507.030 to create an affirmative defense to a charge of murder and manslaughter in the first degree; create the short title the Kentucky Death with Dignity Act.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB225 (BR1000)/LM - M. Marzian, P. Minter, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, K. Flood, A. Gentry, D. Graham, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, R. Meeks, R. Palumbo, J. Raymond, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to civil rights.

Amend KRS 344.010 to include definitions for "sexual orientation" and "gender identity"; amend KRS 344.020, relating to the purpose of the Kentucky's civil rights chapter, to include a prohibition against discrimination because of sexual orientation and gender identity; amend KRS 344.025, 344.040, 344.050, 344.060, 344.070, and 344.080, relating to prohibited discrimination in various labor and employment practices, to include sexual orientation and gender identity; amend KRS 344.100 and 344.110 to conform; amend KRS 344.120 and 342.140, relating to prohibited discrimination in places of public accommodation and advertisements therefor, to include sexual orientation and gender identity; amend KRS 344.170, 344.180, 344.190, 344.300, and 344.310, relating to the state and local human rights commissions, to include prohibition of discrimination on the basis of sexual orientation and gender identity in the scope of their powers and duties; amend KRS 344.360, 344.370, 344.380, and 344.680, relating to prohibited discrimination in certain housing, real estate, and other financial transactions, to include sexual orientation and gender identity; amend KRS 344.367, relating to prohibited discrimination in certain insurance sales, to include sexual orientation and gender identity; amend KRS 344.400, relating to prohibited discrimination in certain credit transactions, to include sexual orientation and gender identity; make various technical amendments; amend KRS 18A.095 to conform.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB226 (BR887)/LM - B. Reed, K. King, C. Massey, P. Pratt, R. Rothenburger, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to special license plates and making an appropriation therefor.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 186 to establish a Kentucky Cattlemen's Association special license plate; establish the initial fee and renewal fee for the special license plate and transfer funds collected by the special license plate fees to the agricultural program trust fund; APPROPRIATION.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HB227 (BR1112) - L. Yates, M. Sorolis, W. Stone

AN ACT relating to elections.

Amend KRS 117.381 to remove straight-party voting as an option in a regular election.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee

HB228 (BR397) - D. Bentley, C. Massey, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to Alzheimer's and dementia training.

Amend KRS 15.334 to encourage the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet to provide peace officers with training on Alzheimer's disease and related disorders; create a new section of KRS Chapter 216B to encourage hospitals to provide staff and management with training on Alzheimer's disease and related disorders; amend KRS 311.601 to encourage physicians to participate in training on Alzheimer's disease and related disorders; amend KRS 311A.120 to encourage emergency medical technicians, advanced emergency medical technicians, emergency medical responders, and paramedics to participate in training on Alzheimer's disease and related disorders; amend KRS 194A.545 to encourage the secretary of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to provide adult protective service workers with training on Alzheimer's disease and related disorders.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee

HB229 (BR1064) - J. Blanton, P. Pratt

AN ACT relating to 911 services.
Amend KRS 65.7631, relating to amounts distributed to public safety answering points (PSAPs) for the purposes of answering, routing, and properly disposing of CMRS 911 calls, to remove the qualifier "CMRS."

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 29, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 30, 2020
Jan 30, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 92-0
Jan 31, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)

HB230 (BR195) - R. Meeks

AN ACT relating to discriminatory practices against a person.
Amend KRS 344.010 to provide definitions of "protective hairstyle" and "race" that include traits historically associated with race.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB231 (BR1181)/LM - M. Cantrell, J. Jenkins, D. Graham, J. Graviss, A. Hatton, N. Kulkarni, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to collective bargaining for public employees.
Creates a new section of KRS Chapter 336, relating to collective bargaining for public employees; amend KRS 336.010 to define "public employees"; amend KRS 336.130 to allow employees of the Commonwealth of Kentucky to collectively bargain.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB232 (BR900)/LM - M. Sorolis, A. Scott

AN ACT relating to open records.
Amend KRS 61.882 to require the award of costs and attorney fees if a court finds a record is withheld willfully under the Open Records Act.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB233 (BR1171) - L. Willner
Jan 15-WITHDRAWN

HB234 (BR1103)/LM - G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, C. Howard, J. Raymond, A. Tackett Laferty, S. Westrom, R. Wiederstein

AN ACT relating to plant-based food options in hospitals.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 216B to establish definitions and require hospitals that provide inpatient or residential care to offer patients a plant-based food option for every meal or snack, at the request of a patient or patient's lawful representative, at no additional cost to the patient.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB235 (BR1085)/AA - J. Graviss

AN ACT repealing pension provisions enacted by the 2018 General Assembly that were declared unconstitutional and void by the Kentucky Supreme Court.
Repeal the provisions of SB 151 enacted in 2018 that were declared unconstitutional and void by the Kentucky Supreme Court; reenact and amend those provisions to return them to their original pre-SB 151 language; make technical and conforming changes.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB236 (BR1022) - M. Koch, L. Bechler, D. Hale, M. Hart, R. Heath, C. Massey, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, S. Sheldon

AN ACT relating to hemp and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 250.355 to allow the Department of Agriculture to establish hemp testing procedures; create a new section of KRS 260.850 to 260.869 to set forth requirements for the transportation of hemp or hemp products; amend KRS 260.850 and 260.852, 260.860, 260.864, and 260.866 to make technical corrections; amend KRS 260.858 to specify unlawful conduct; amend KRS 260.862 to specify licensure requirements; repeal KRS 260.867; EMERGENCY.

HB236 - AMENDMENTS
SFA1(P. Hornback) - Create a new section of KRS 260.850 to 260.869 to specify hemp extract material; amend KRS 260.858 to specify hemp extract material.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Agriculture (H); posted in committee
Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 16, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 17, 2020
Jan 21, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 70-17
Jan 22, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 24, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)
Jan 28, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 29, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 30, 2020; floor amendment (1) filed
Jan 30, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 37-0 with floor amendment (1)
Jan 31, 2020 - received in House; to Rules (H)
Feb 03, 2020 - taken from Rules; placed in the Orders of the Day; House concurred in Senate floor amendment (1); passed 85-4
Feb 04, 2020 - enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; delivered to Governor
Feb 10, 2020 - signed by Governor (Acts ch. 1)

HB237 (BR970)/CI - C. McCoy, K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, D. Elliott, K. Flood, A. Gentry, J. Glenn, D. Graham, J. Graviss, T. Huff, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, C. Massey, R. Meyer, J. Miller, P. Minter, K. Moser, J. Nemes, M. Prunty, R. Rothenburger, S. Sheldon, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, N. Tate, J. Tipton, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to mental illness.
Amend KRS 532.130, 532.135, and 532.140 to add a diagnosis of serious mental illness to the disabilities which prevent execution for persons convicted of capital offenses.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 17, 2020 - posted in committee

HB238 (BR1208) - M. Koch, L. Bechler, M. Hart, R. Heath, P. Pratt, S. Sheldon, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to the deputy and state veterinarian and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 257.210 to remove residency requirement for the state veterinarian; make technical corrections, amend KRS 257.240 to remove residency requirement for the deputy state veterinarian; make technical corrections; EMERGENCY

HB238 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(M. Hart) - Amend KRS 257.240 to reinstate recommendation of the state veterinarian to the Board of Agriculture in hiring a deputy state veterinarian.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Agriculture (H); posted in committee
Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 16, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 17, 2020; floor amendment (1) filed
Jan 21, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 69-20 with floor amendment (1)
Jan 22, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 24, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

HB239 (BR327) - A. Hatton, B. McCool, D. Bentley, J. Blanton, C. Booker, A. Bowling, T. Branham Clark, R. Brenda, M. Cantrell, C. Fugate, A. Gentry, R. Goforth, C. Harris, K. Hinkle, C. Howard, D. Lewis, M. Prunty, M. Sorolis, A. Tackett Laferty

AN ACT relating to workers' compensation.
Amend KRS 342.315 to eliminate the requirement that physicians contracting with the commissioner of the Department of Workers' Claims to perform evaluations in occupational disease claims be "B" readers who are licensed in Kentucky and are board-certified pulmonary specialists; amend KRS 342.316 to allow the commissioner to select a physician or medical facility for referral in occupational disease claims and eliminate the requirement that such physicians be "B" readers who are licensed in Kentucky and are board-certified pulmonary specialists; amend KRS 342.794 to delete the definition of "board-certified pulmonary specialist" and eliminate the requirement that physicians on the list of qualified "B" readers maintained by the commissioner include only those licensed in Kentucky and board-certified pulmonary specialists.

Jan 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 14, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB240 (BR977) - R. Rothenburger, M. Hart, J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to the Kentucky Law Enforcement Council.
Amend KRS 15.315, relating to the Kentucky Law Enforcement Council, to add the president of the Kentucky chapter of the Association of Public Safety Communications Officials and the president of the Kentucky chapter of the National Emergency Number Association to the membership of the council; amend KRS 15.320 to establish quorum of the reconstituted council to 14 members.

HB240 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(R. Rothenburger) - Amend Section 1 of the bill to make the president of the Kentucky chapter of the Association of Public Safety Communications Officials and the president of the Kentucky chapter of the National Emergency Number Association advisory members of the council serving without a vote; amend Section 2 of the bill to adjust the quorum of the council to reflect voting members.

Jan 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 14, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)
Jan 16, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 06, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 7, 2020
Feb 13, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed
Feb 19, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 88-4 with floor amendment (1)

HB241 (BR1182) - M. Koch, J. DuPlessis, D. Bentley, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, R. Brenda, R. Bridges, J. Fischer, K. Flood, D. Frazier, J. Gooch Jr., A. Hatton, R. Heath, S. Heavrin, J. Hoover, R. Huff, K. King, N. Kulkarni, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, C. Massey, B. McCool, R. Meeks, S. Miles, P. Minter, J. Nemes, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, B. Reed, S. Riley, B. Rowland, S. Rudy, S. Santoro, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, N. Tate, W. Thomas, K. Upchurch, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Willner, L. Yates

AN ACT designating the second Wednesday in February as Family Resource and Youth Services Center Day.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to designate the second Wednesday in February as "Family Resource and Youth Services Center Day."

Jan 10, 2020 - introduced in House

Jan 14, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Feb 12, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 95-0
Feb 13, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB242 (BR882) - K. Upchurch, S. Santoro

AN ACT relating to the transportation of overdimensional loads.
Amend KRS 189.270 to allow for an annual permit for transporters of new manufactured housing; notwithstand the provisions of KRS 189.269 to allow for a maximum height under this permit of 15 feet; maintain all other maximum dimension and weight limits used for regular overweight and overdimensional permits; set fees for annual manufactured housing transport permit at $1,500 if the width exceeds 14 feet or the height exceeds 13 feet, 6 inches; otherwise set fee at $500; set forth additional requirements for permit holders, including use of a GPS device on the permitted vehicles, with records subject to Transportation Cabinet inspection; set forth a $1,000 fine if a permit holder transports a load in excess of 13 feet, 6 inches in height in restricted area, as designated by the Transportation Cabinet.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 15, 2020 - to Transportation (H)
Jan 22, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 28, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 29, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 30, 2020
Jan 30, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 87-2
Jan 31, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

HB243 (BR1206) - M. Cantrell

AN ACT relating to religious texts literacy courses in the public schools.
Amend KRS 156.162 to replace courses on the Hebrew Scriptures, Old Testament of the Bible, or New Testament of the Bible with courses on the various religious texts of the many religions practiced in the Commonwealth; amend KRS 158.197 to conform.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 15, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB244 (BR896)/CI/LM - J. Graviss, K. Flood

AN ACT relating to cruelty to animals.
Amend KRS 525.130, relating to cruelty to animals, to prohibit spectators and vendors from attending an event where any animal, rather than any four-legged animal, is caused to fight.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 15, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB245 (BR945) - J. Blanton, R. Brenda, C. Fugate, J. Graviss, D. Lewis, T. Turner

AN ACT relating to the taxation of pension income.
Amend KRS 141.019, relating to the individual income tax, to increase the pension income exclusion from $31,110 to $41,110.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 15, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB246 (BR100) - J. Miller
Jan 30-WITHDRAWN

HB247 (BR807) - M. Hart, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to procurement.
Amend KRS 45A.380 to enable noncompetitive negotiation under the Kentucky Model Procurement Code for purchase or sale of wholesale electric power or natural gas by a local public agency; amend KRS 424.260 to exempt contracts for local public agency purchase or sale of wholesale electric power or natural gas of more than $30,000, from requirement for newspaper advertisement for bids.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 15, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (H)
Jan 16, 2020 - posted in committee

HB248 (BR24) - D. Bentley, D. Frazier, C. Massey, M. Sorolis, R. Webber, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to prescription drugs.
Create various new sections of KRS Chapter 367 to define terms; to prohibit manufacturers and wholesalers of off-patent or generic prescription drugs from engaging in unrestricted price increases; to require the secretary of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to report certain price increases to the Attorney General; to establish that certain price increases for off-patent or generic drugs constitute a violation of KRS 367.170; establish penalties.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 15, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB249 (BR25)/HM - D. Bentley, R. Bridges, D. Frazier, K. King, C. Massey, P. Minter, P. Pratt, M. Sorolis, R. Webber, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to prescription drugs.
Create various new sections of KRS Chapter 315 to define terms; to require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to annually compile lists of certain prescription drugs deemed to be essential to treating diabetes; to require drug manufacturers to annually report to the cabinet certain information related to the cost of manufacturing and marketing such drugs and factors that contributed to any price increase; require pharmacy benefit managers to annually report to the cabinet certain information related to prescription drug rebates for such drugs; to require the cabinet to annually submit to the Legislative Research Commission a report that summarizes the information provided to the cabinet by manufacturers and pharmacy benefit managers; to exempt information and data reported by manufacturers and pharmacy benefit managers to the cabinet from disclosure pursuant to KRS 61.870 to 61.884; to require the cabinet to promulgate administrative regulations; amend KRS 315.990 to establish a penalty for failure to report; amend KRS 304.17A-164 to restrict cost-sharing amounts charged by insurers and pharmacy benefit managers; to prohibit insurers and pharmacy benefit managers from restricting a pharmacist's ability to inform patients about and to sell less expensive alternative drugs; amend KRS 304.17A-505 and 304.17C-030 to require disclosure of information related to drug formularies; to create various new sections of KRS Chapter 367 to define terms; to prohibit manufacturers and wholesalers of off-patent or generic prescription drugs from engaging in unrestricted price increases; to require the secretary of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to report certain price increases to the Attorney General; to establish that certain price increases for off-patent or generic drugs constitute a violation of KRS 367.170; to establish penalties; and certain sections EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 15, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee

HB250 (BR802)/LM - R. Meeks

AN ACT relating to law enforcement seizure of money or property.
Amend KRS 218A.440 to require all law enforcement agencies to file asset seizure reporting forms with the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, declaring whether or not the agency seized money or property pursuant to KRS 218A.415; require the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet to notify any law enforcement agency that did not file, to allow the agency an additional 30 days to file, and if the agency still does not file, to refer the agency to the Attorney General for civil action; require the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet to provide an annual report to the Legislative Research Commission and the Interim Joint Committee on Judiciary; amend KRS 15.440 to provide that asset seizure reporting compliance is required to maintain eligibility for the Kentucky Law Enforcement Foundation Program fund.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 15, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB251 (BR322) - K. Hinkle, A. Tackett Laferty, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, A. Gentry, D. Graham, J. Graviss, C. Harris, A. Hatton, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, C. Miller, P. Minter, J. Raymond, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to employment.
Amend KRS 336.130 to delete references restricting rights of public employees to organize, associate collectively, or strike; amend KRS 336.180 to amend definition of "labor organization" and delete definitions of "employer" and "employee"; amend KRS 336.990 to conform; amend KRS 67A.6904 to allow urban-county governments to make an agreement with a labor organization to require as a condition of employment membership therein; amend KRS 67C.406 to allow consolidated local governments to make an agreement with a labor organization to require as a condition of employment membership therein; amend KRS 70.262, 78.470, and 78.480 to remove exceptions; amend KRS 345.050 to allow public employers to make an agreement with a labor organization to require as a condition of employment membership therein; repeal KRS 65.016, 336.132, and 336.134.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 15, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB252 (BR883) - M. Dossett

AN ACT relating to manufactured and mobile homes.
Amend KRS 227.605 to require an inspection and a new B1 seal prior to the transfer of title or ownership of a manufactured or mobile home; exempt homes bearing a B1 seal that was affixed by a licensed retailer within the six months prior to transfer.

HB252 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(L. Bechler) - Make the inspection and B1 seal requirements only apply to those homes being sold by a licensed retailer.
HFA2(M. Dossett) - Require the transferor of a manufactured or mobile home to furnish a home inspection and a B1 Seal; exempt any home given by the transferor to a family member or currently installed and not moving from its current site.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020; floor amendment (1) filed
Feb 05, 2020 - 3rd reading; floor amendment (1) defeated; returned to the Orders of the Day
Feb 14, 2020 - floor amendment (2) filed

HB253 (BR186)/LM - D. Elliott

AN ACT relating to the investigation of traffic accidents.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 189 to require local law enforcement agencies having jurisdiction to investigate all traffic accidents involving a fatality that occur on state-maintained highways; specify that if a local law enforcement agency does not have an accident reconstruction unit or similar expertise, the Kentucky State Police shall perform the investigation; amend KRS 16.065 to conform; cite as the John Carter Knight Act of 2020.

HB253 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/LM - Retain original provisions,

except clarify to allow for law enforcement agencies that contract or have agreements with other law enforcement agencies to provide accident investigation services.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)
Jan 27, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 19, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)

HB254 (BR1187)/LM - D. Elliott

AN ACT relating to financial responsibility of motor vehicle operators.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 189 to define "expenses of an emergency response," "public agency," and "reasonable costs"; require a driver who drives on a highway that has been barricaded due to flooding be held liable for the costs of rescue or recovery; allow a driver convicted of violating KRS 189.290 for driving on a highway that is flooded to be held liable for the costs of rescue or recovery; limit liability under this section to $2,000; allow insurance policies to exclude coverage for a person's liability under this section; amend KRS 189.290 and 39F.120 to conform; amend KRS 304.39-020 to exclude charges under Section 1 of the act from the definition of medical expenses; create a new section of 304.39 to allow motor vehicle liability insurance policies to exclude coverage for a person's liability under Section 1 of the Act.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB255 (BR863) - J. Tipton, S. Sheldon, K. Banta, R. Brenda, R. Bridges, C. Freeland, J. Graviss, M. Koch, M. Prunty

AN ACT relating to operating a motor vehicle.
Amend KRS 189.292 to define the terms "stand-alone electronic device," "operating a motor vehicle," and "use"; prohibit the use of a personal communication device or stand-alone electronic device while operating a motor vehicle; amend KRS 189.294 to provide that persons under 18 years shall not use a personal communication device or stand-alone electronic device in any manner; exempt school bus operators who are instead subject to KRS 281A.205; set forth exceptions; amend KRS 189.990 to set forth penalties for the violation of KRS 189.292; create a new section of KRS Chapter 281A to apply these provisions to commercial motor vehicle drivers; amend KRS 189.2327 to conform; create a short title, "Phone-Down Kentucky Act."

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Transportation (H)
Jan 22, 2020 - posted in committee

HB256 (BR460) - J. Fischer, K. Banta, J. Blanton, C. Harris, S. Lee, C. Massey, S. Santoro

AN ACT relating to the rights of victims of sexual offenses.
Amend KRS 403.322 to specify that a felony offense from another jurisdiction that leads to the conception and delivery of a child eliminates custody and visitation rights for the offender; amend KRS 405.028 to specify that a felony offense from another jurisdiction that leads to the conception and delivery of a child eliminates custody and visitation rights for the offender; amend KRS 625.050 to allow a de facto custodian of a child born as a result of a felony offense of KRS Chapter 510 to initiate an action for involuntary termination of parental rights; create a new section of KRS Chapter 625 to require the circuit court to involuntarily terminate the parental rights of a person convicted of a felony offense of KRS Chapter 510 that leads to a child.

HB256 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Amend KRS 403.322 to specify that a felony offense from another jurisdiction that leads to the conception and delivery of a child eliminates custody and visitation rights for the offender; amend KRS 405.028 to specify that a felony offense from another jurisdiction that leads to the conception and delivery of a child eliminates custody and visitation rights for the offender.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 19, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)

HB257 (BR177) - J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni

AN ACT relating to peace officer hours of work.
Amend KRS 337.285 to allow peace officers in cities of the home rule class to be scheduled for 80 hours or less in a work period of 14 consecutive days under specified conditions; amend KRS 95.495 to conform.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB258 (BR862)/LM - R. Bridges, K. Upchurch, M. Prunty

AN ACT relating to jailer canteen accounts.
Amend KRS 67.0802 to require any compensation resulting from the disposal of property purchased using canteen funds, be returned to the canteen account from which the property was acquired.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 17, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 29, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, January 30, 2020
Feb 03, 2020 - recommitted to Local Government (H)

HB259 (BR1061)/CI/LM - G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, K. Flood, N. Kulkarni, M. Sorolis, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to firearms.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 527 to make it a crime to unlawfully store a firearm; establish elements of the crime for recklessly allowing access to an unsecured firearm by a minor; establish the crime as a Class B misdemeanor unless a physical injury or death results, in which case it is a Class A misdemeanor.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB260 (BR296) - D. Frazier

AN ACT relating to family preservation services.
Amend KRS 200.575 to require the Kentucky Department for Community Based Services to facilitate the application and implementation of housing vouchers for qualified families as part of family preservation services.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB261 (BR815)/FN - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to technical corrections to various tax statutes and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 131.183 to clarify that the application of interest does not apply to the addition of tax for estimated tax purposes; amend KRS 131.250 to allow the Department of Revenue to determine which returns, reports, or statements should be electronically filed; amend KRS 133.225 to require certain specific information to be posted on the Department of Revenue's website related to the assessment of property and the property tax calendar; amend KRS 138.220 to clarify when motor fuel dealers are to be notified about a change to the average wholesale price; amend KRS 138.450 and 139.260 to make a technical correction; amend KRS 139.340 and 139.450 to clarify that, once the threshold for sales or transactions is exceeded by a remote retailer or a marketplace provider, the taxpayer must register and collect the tax from the purchaser by the first day of the calendar month that begins no later than 60 days after either threshold is reached; amend KRS 141.039 to make technical corrections; amend KRS 141.0401 to clarify in which circumstances a consolidated return is allowed for the limited liability entity tax; amend KRS 141.044 to restore language permitting interest on refunds to begin after 90 days; amend KRS 141.121 to make technical corrections; amend KRS 141.201 to clarify the specific corporations that are exempt from taxation, that those corporations are not included in the consolidated return, and that by electing to file a consolidated return the group is voluntarily subjecting each member of the affiliated group to the jurisdiction of this state; amend KRS 141.202, 141.205, 141.206, 141.383, and 141.900 to make technical corrections; amend KRS 141.985 to clarify that the application of interest does not apply to the addition of tax for estimated tax purposes; amend KRS 224.50-868 to clarify that the new tire fee of $2 per tire applies to the sale of all tires, not just new motor vehicle tires; repeal KRS 132.550 and 132.635; EMERGENCY.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee

HB262 (BR1252)/AA - M. Hart, S. Maddox, K. Banta

AN ACT relating to state-supported universities and community colleges participating in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 61.522 to permit a state-supported university or community college ceasing participation in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System (KERS) nonhazardous plan by June 30, 2020, under the provisions of subsection (8) of KRS 61.522 (2019 SS HB 1), to make an election to retain participation in the retirement plan for only its existing employees who began participating in the systems administered by the Kentucky Retirement Systems prior to September 1, 2008, (Tier I) and, upon its effective cessation date, cease the participation of its existing employees who began participating on or after September 1, 2008, but prior to January 1, 2014 (Tier II); vary assumed rate of return/discount rate used to determine cessation costs from 3% to 4.5% based upon university/college employers' decisions regarding payment type (lump-sum vs. installments) and based on employee type (Tier I and II) and whether those employees will continue to participate in KERS after June 30, 2020; EMERGENCY.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB263 (BR971) - D. Frazier, K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, K. Bratcher, G. Brown Jr, M. Cantrell, D. Graham, A. Hatton, S. Heavrin, J. Jenkins, K. King, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, P. Minter, K. Moser, R. Palumbo, M. Prunty, J. Raymond, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, N. Tate, W. Thomas, K. Upchurch, S. Westrom, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to computer science education.
Amend KRS 158.849 to establish goal of increasing participation in computer science courses by underrepresented groups; require the Department of Education to submit an annual report on public school students participating in computer science courses.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB264 (BR150)/LM - R. Rothenburger, B. Reed

AN ACT relating to local government payment for purchases and standing orders, and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 65.140 to enable payment for the purchase of goods or services by local government to be made by the party responsible; provide for documentation of purchaser disapproval; amend KRS 68.275 to authorize county judge/executive to pay claims as a requirement of state or federal law or regulation and, present those claims to fiscal court for review

following payment;EMERGENCY.

HB264 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/LM - Retain original provisions of bill, except amend Section 2 to delete previous amendments and require recordation of cause shown that claim not be paid in fiscal court minutes.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 04, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 93-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 05, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB265 (BR1285)/LM - S. Westrom, J. Jenkins, M. Marzian, P. Minter, A. Scott, C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to the reporting of child abuse.
Amend KRS 620.030, relating to the requirement to report child abuse, to limit the clergy-penitent exemption to the confessional setting; amend KRS 620.050, relating to the reporting of child abuse, to limit the clergy-penitent exemption to the confessional setting.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB266 (BR974) - M. Koch, A. Gentry, C. Massey, D. Schamore

AN ACT relating to children of military families.
Amend KRS 159.075 to include parents or guardians who are transferring to a reserve component or separating from the military under honorable conditions; include a home under contract to be built as a qualifying residence; allow qualifying students to temporarily reside outside of district if the housing is unavailable and be included in the attending district's average daily attendance.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)
Jan 27, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 7, 2020
Feb 07, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 86-0
Feb 10, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 12, 2020 - to Education (S)

HB267 (BR1267) - D. Elliott

AN ACT relating to criminal history record checks.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 620 to allow the Department for Community Based Services to request a criminal justice agency to perform a federal name-based criminal history record check of each adult residing in a home that a child is placed during an emergency placement; allow the Department for Kentucky State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation to charge a reasonable fee for processing a fingerprint-based criminal history record check.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB268 (BR1292)/CI/LM - D. Elliott, J. Graviss

AN ACT relating to the protection of Kentucky's adults.
Amend KRS 381.230 to establish a simplified method for elderly or vulnerable adults to petition for an order to prevent or restrain other persons from trespassing onto the petitioner's residence; create a new section of KRS Chapter 209 to clarify abuse of an adult and establish penalties; clarify exploitation of an adult and establish penalties; restate neglect of an adult and establish penalties; amend KRS 209.990 to delete existing penalties for abuse, exploitation, and neglect; amend KRS 209.020 to define terms; create a new section of KRS Chapter 209 to create a rebuttable presumption that transfers of real or personal property made by protected adults and not supported by adequate consideration were made under undue influence.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB269 (BR857) - M. Cantrell, T. Bojanowski, M. Meredith

AN ACT relating to local government parking citation enforcement.
Create a new section of KRS 82.600 to 82.640 to allow cities, urban-county governments, and consolidated local governments, through the passage of an ordinance, to receive goods for transfer to nonprofit charities, service organizations, and local government projects or programs serving the public in lieu either in whole or in part of civil fines assessed against parking violations.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 04, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 90-4
Feb 05, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB270 (BR268)/AA - J. Tipton, K. King

AN ACT relating to retirement plans covering legislators and declaring an emergency.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 6.500 to 6.577 to close the Legislators' Retirement Plan (LRP) to new members effective July 1, 2020, and to provide that new legislators shall participate in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System (KERS) for the duration of their legislative service; clarify that legislators who are also teachers contributing to the Teachers' Retirement System (TRS) may continue to participate in TRS while serving as a member of the General Assembly; provide that Legislators' Retirement Plan (LRP) members who entered the plan on or after 1/1/2014 and who are participating in the LRP cash balance plan shall have their account balance transferred to the KERS hybrid cash balance plan and shall prospectively participate in KERS for the duration of their legislative service; amend KRS 6.505 to provide that legislative changes that are enacted on or after July 1, 2020, for the Legislators' Retirement Plan shall not be part of the "inviolable contract" and to make conforming amendments; amend KRS 6.520 to provide that the LRP benefit factor for the traditional defined benefit plan shall be lowered from 2.75% to 1.97% for service accrued on or after July 1, 2020; amend KRS 6.525 to provide that non-legislative compensation earned in another state-administered retirement system on or after July 1, 2020, shall not be used to calculate benefits in the Legislators' Retirement Plan; amend KRS 21.525 to provide that the Judicial Form Retirement System shall not request nor receive any funding for the Legislators' Retirement Plan (LRP), except for administrative expenses, until such time the LRP plan has an actuarial funding level equal to or less than the KERS nonhazardous pension fund; amend KRS 61.510 to provide that for any service to the General Assembly that is credited to the Kentucky Employees Retirement System, no compensation earned for other covered public employment shall be used to determine the portion of their benefit related to their service to the General Assembly; amend KRS 6.500, 21.402, and 61.680 to conform and to restore/remove language due to a recent court ruling; EMERGENCY.

HB270 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/AA/FN - Retain original provisions; make technical amendment.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Jan 28, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 11, 2020 - recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB271 (BR944)/AA/LM - J. Blanton, C. Massey, S. Santoro

AN ACT relating to death-in-line-of-duty benefits and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 16.601 and 61.621 to remove provisions which reduce line of duty or duty-related death benefits upon remarriage; establish non-codified sections to: provide that an eligible surviving spouse who has subsequently remarried shall have their benefit increased; provide that an eligible surviving spouse of a member whose death was determined by the systems to be a direct result of an act in line of duty or a duty-related injury, but chose to receive monthly death benefits in lieu of line of duty benefits, shall receive line of duty or duty-related death monthly benefits; provide that Kentucky Retirement System shall establish process by which a surviving spouse of a member who died prior to retirement and prior to April 13, 2018, may apply for the line of duty death benefits; EMERGENCY.

HB271 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(J. Blanton) - Retains original provisions; provides that an eligible surviving spouse of a member who died in the line of duty, who remarried prior to April 13, 2018, shall have monthly benefit increased. EMERGENCY.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Jan 28, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar; floor amendment (1) filed
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 05, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0 with floor amendment (1)
Feb 06, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB272 (BR1204) - S. Riley, D. Lewis, C. Massey, S. Sheldon

AN ACT relating to board of education employee insurance.
Amend KRS 161.158 to authorize each district board of education to determine the group insurance plan offered to its employees.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)
Feb 04, 2020 - reassigned to Local Government (H)
Feb 06, 2020 - posted in committee

HB273 (BR800)/FN - R. Heath, J. Blanton, M. Dossett, D. Hale, M. Hart, K. King, S. Miles, S. Santoro, J. Sims Jr

AN ACT relating to the establishment of a tax credit to promote investments in Kentucky businesses.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 136 to establish the growth fund tax credit; amend KRS 131.190 to allow reporting of the tax credit to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue; establish Subchapter 21 of KRS Chapter 154 and create new sections thereof to establish an application and approval process for investment in growth businesses by a growth fund and verification related to the new tax credit; provide that sections 5 to 11 of this Act may be cited as the Kentucky Rural Jobs Act of 2020.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB274 (BR1173)/LM - J. Donohue

AN ACT relating to bus operation safety.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 158 to require the Transportation

Cabinet to develop in cooperation with the Department of Education, a risk reduction program for school bus operators; outline requirements of the program; outline school district implementation requirements; require reporting of assaults; create a new section of KRS Chapter 281 to require the Transportation Cabinet to develop a risk reduction program for bus operators; outline requirements; outline implementation requirements; require reporting of assaults; amend KRS 281.990 to establish an initial penalty of $5,000 for failure to implement the program required; if program is not implemented 14 days after the initial penalty is assessed, an additional fee of $250 per day shall be assessed until implementation.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB275 (BR58)/CI/LM - D. Lewis, J. Petrie, K. King

AN ACT relating to the sexual exploitation of minors.

Amend KRS 531.335 to raise the penalty for possession or viewing of matter portraying a sexual performance by a minor under the age of 12 years to a Class C felony; amend KRS 531.340 to raise the penalty for the distribution of matter portraying a sexual performance of a minor under the age of 12 years to a Class C felony for the first offense and a Class B felony for each subsequent offense.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee

HB276 (BR1110) - S. Heavrin, D. Hale, T. Huff, C. Massey, M. Meredith, S. Santoro, S. Sheldon, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to licensing.

Amend KRS 186.041 to clarify eligiblity for a special military license plate; provide for a special military license plate sticker for spouses of veterans; amend KRS 186.416 to clarify proof required for a veteran designation on an operator's license.

HB276 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions; make technical corrections to proof required to verify veteran's eligibility.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Transportation (H)
Jan 22, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 13, 2020
Feb 13, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 14, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

HB277 (BR1111)/FN - S. Heavrin, T. Huff, K. King, D. Lewis, C. Massey, M. Meredith, B. Rowland, D. Schamore, S. Sheldon, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to license plates for disabled veterans.

Amend KRS 186.162 to allow disabled veterans who are paid at the 100 percent rate for service-connected disabilities by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs to purchase disabled veteran license plates with no initial fee or renewal fee.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Transportation (H)
Jan 22, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 13, 2020
Feb 13, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 88-0
Feb 14, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Transportation (S)

HB278 (BR973) - M. Koch, B. Rowland, D. Schamore, W. Stone

AN ACT relating to postsecondary readiness.

Amend KRS 158.6455 to require inclusion of the Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery test as a measurement of postsecondary readiness for the state accountability system.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Education (H)
Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 13, 2020
Feb 13, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 88-0
Feb 14, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Education (S)

HB279 (BR1043) - N. Tate, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to military affairs.

Amend KRS 154.12-203 to update Kentucky Commission on Military Affairs membership based on current commands, battalions, and military installations.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)
Jan 27, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 04, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 93-0
Feb 05, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)

HB280 (BR1063) - N. Tate, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to child restraint systems and booster seats.

Amend KRS 189.125 to prohibit the operator of a motor vehicle from carrying passengers who are required to be secured in a child restraint system or booster seat from placing the child restraint system or booster seat in the front seat of the vehicle if the vehicle has seating in the vehicle behind the front seat; amend KRS 189.990 to set fines for violations of all the provisions of KRS 189.125(3)at $50; retain language exempting these fines from court costs; amend KRS 189.574 and 431.452 to conform.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HB281 (BR266) - N. Tate

AN ACT relating to student access to sexually explicit material.

Amend KRS 156.675 to require the Kentucky Department of Education to develop informational materials on the public health risks and potential harms of sexually explicit Internet content; require each public school to distribute the informational materials to parents and guardians beginning with the 2021-2022 school year.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB282 (BR382) - N. Tate

AN ACT relating to life-prolonging treatment for unemancipated minors.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 311 to require that a parent or legal guardian of an unemancipated minor be informed of an intent to withhold life-prolonging treatment before an order is instituted; permit a parent or legal guardian to refuse consent for an order to withhold life-prolonging treatment; permits either parent to petition the Circuit Court if they disagree; require a health care facility or physician to disclose a policy relating to life-prolonging treatment upon request.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB283 (BR73) - K. Hinkle

AN ACT relating to jury service for caregivers.

Amend KRS 29A.100 to allow individuals to be excused from jury service if they 70 years of age or older and request to be excused from jury service.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB284 (BR809)/CI/FN/LM - D. Lewis, J. Petrie, C. Booker, R. Bridges, G. Brown Jr, R. Goforth, A. Hatton, N. Kulkarni, S. Maddox, C. Massey, K. Moser, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to probation program credits.

Create a new section of KRS 439.250 to 439.560 to establish probation program credits; amend KRS 439.250 to conform.

HB284 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/CI/LM - Specify that the Department of Corrections shall notify, no less than 90 days before final discharge, the sentencing court of probation program credits awarded and the period of supervision reduced by the probation program credits; provide that supervised individuals on supervision prior to effective date of this Act shall being accruing probation program credits the first day of the first month after the effective date of this Act; amend KRS 533.020 to conform.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 7, 2020
Feb 10, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 11, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 13, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

HB285 (BR265) - N. Tate, T. Bojanowski, K. King, R. Palumbo, M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to female genital mutilation.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 508 to define "female genital mutilation" and create the Class B felony of female genital mutilation; create a new section of KRS Chapter 211 to require the Department for Public Health in the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to develop, produce, and disseminate educational materials related to female genital mutilation; amend KRS 15.334 to require law enforcement training on female genital mutilation; amend KRS 311.595 to require a conviction of female genital mutilation to result in mandatory revocation of a physician's license; create a new section of KRS Chapter 413 to permit civil action for female genital mutilation for ten years; amend KRS 620.020 to include female genital mutilation in the definition of "abused or neglected child"; amend KRS 620.030 to provide that if a person knows or has reasonable cause to believe that a child is a victim of female genital mutilation, then that person shall immediately make an oral or written report to the appropriate authorities; create a new section of KRS Chapter 620 to require a report on female genital mutilation reports to the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; EMERGENCY.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

HB286 (BR1233) - R. Webber, T. Branham Clark, K. Banta, D. Bentley, T. Bojanowski, K. Bratcher, M. Dossett, R. Goforth, J. Graviss, C. Harris, A. Hatton, R. Heath, K. Hinkle, C. Howard, R. Huff, T. Huff, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, B. McCool, R. Meyer, J. Miller, R. Palumbo, P. Pratt, R. Rothenburger, S. Rudy, D. Schamore, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, J. Stewart III, W. Thomas, J. Tipton, K. Upchurch, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to the prescriptive authority of advanced practice registered nurses.

Amend KRS 314.011 to allow designated advanced practice registered nurses certified in psychiatric-mental health nursing to prescribe up to two sequential refills for a 30 day supply of psychostimulants; amend KRS 314.042 to remove the one-year practice requirement before an APRN may

prescribe controlled substances under a CAPA-CS; establish conditions for an APRN to prescribe controlled substances without a CAPA-CS after four years of controlled substance prescribing authority under a CAPA-CS; require an APRN to confirm with the nursing board that the APRN's license is in good standing before prescribing without a CAPA-CS; set procedures for the nursing board's license review; prohibit any attempt to require or compel an APRN to maintain a CAPA-CS to prescribe after the four-year threshold; exempt an equivalently qualified out-of-state APRN from the CAPA-CS requirement to prescribe under licensure by endorsement; require an APRN with less than four years of prescribing controlled substances to maintain a CAPA-CS until the four years are completed.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB287 (BR299) - J. Sims Jr

AN ACT relating to elections.
Amend KRS 116.055 to permit voters registered with a political group, political organization, or as an independent to vote in the primary or a political party under specific circumstances; amend KRS 117.085, 117.125, and 117.381 to conform.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB288 (BR1227) - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to revenue.
Amend KRS 141.018 to make a technical correction.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB289 (BR1229)/FN - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to sales and use taxes.
Amend KRS 139.990 for technical corrections.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB290 (BR1228) - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to taxation.
Amend KRS 139.785 to make a technical correction.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB291 (BR1230)/FN - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to income tax.
Amend KRS 141.180 to make a technical correction.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB292 (BR1074)/FN - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to branch budget bills.
Amend KRS 48.160, relating to branch budget bills, to make a technical correction.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB293 (BR1075)/FN - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to branch budget recommendations.
Amend KRS 48.165, relating to branch budget recommendations, to make technical corrections.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB294 (BR1076)/FN - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to branch budget bills.
Amend KRS 48.720, relating to branch budget bills, to make a technical correction.

Jan 17, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 22, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB295 (BR1065) - M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to student health.
Amend KRS 160.345 to require at least 25 minutes of student physical activity each school day; expand requirement to include students up to grade 8; and prioritize free play activities taking place outdoors.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB296 (BR1169) - L. Willner, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, K. Flood, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, P. Minter, J. Raymond, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to health education.
Repeal and reenact KRS 158.1415 to require each school district to provide comprehensive sex education instruction to all public school students; establish minimum requirements for the comprehensive sex education instruction; establish minimum requirements for the comprehensive sexual education curricula and instructional materials; prohibit a school or school district from restricting the ability of an instructor to answer a question related to comprehensive sex education; require that a school make comprehensive sex education curricula and instructional materials available upon the request of a parent or guardian and establish a procedure for a parent or guardian to opt a student out of comprehensive sexual education instruction; require the Kentucky Board of Education to promulgate administrative regulations necessary to implement, administer, and enforce this section; require the Kentucky Board of Education to promulgate administrative regulations requiring that each school district submit a report on comprehensive sex education in the district biennially; require the Kentucky Department of Education to maintain a list of recommended comprehensive sex education curricula and instructional materials; permit a parent or guardian to file an action in Circuit Court to enforce these provisions.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB297 (BR1329) - M. Cantrell

AN ACT relating to alcoholic beverage licensing.
Amend KRS 243.100 to add pending administrative cases before the board or a court of law and previous denial of an alcoholic beverage license within two years since the decision became final and non-appealable to the list of restrictions for applicants; amend KRS 243.390 to require applicants to state that they have no pending administrative cases before the board or a court of law or a previous denial of an alcoholic beverage license within two years since the decision became final and non-appealable.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB298 (BR982)/LM - J. Tipton, D. Graham, R. Meyer

AN ACT relating to police pursuit policies and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 61 to provide definitions, require each law enforcement agency in the state to establish and enforce policies governing of a vehicle pursuit after January 1, 2021; provide the criteria for decision-making to initiate and terminate a pursuit; allow the adoption model policy, subject to certain criteria and require transmission of adopted policy to Justice Cabinet; provide for penalties for failure to transmit; require written certification that each member of the agency has received a copy of the policy and instruction on the policy; make policy confidential and not a public record; require annual review of policy; allow update of policy at any time, require submission of revised policy to Justice Cabinet; create a new section of KRS Chapter 411 to prohibit elected law enforcement officers from engaging in vehicle pursuit, provide exemptions for certain officers, provide penalty for violation of this section, define "pursuit"; amend KRS 15.440 to require a mandatory eight hours of in-service training in "emergency vehicle operations" annually; amend KRS 61.170 to provide for punishment of elected law enforcement officials engaging in unauthorized pursuit; amend KRS 186.560 to allow suspension of driver's license for fleeing or evading in the second degree; amend 520.100 to enhance penalties for fleeing or evading in the second degree; naming section 1 of the Act "Jill's Law"; Section 3 EFFECTIVE July 1, 2021.

HB298 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/LM - Retain original provisions; remove exemption from public records act; require adoption of policies prior to January 1, 2021; create a new section of KRS Chapter 15 to prohibit law enforcement officers who are not certified, or who have not completed training programs in vehicle pursuit, from engaging in vehicle pursuit; remove section specifying punishment for officers who engage in pursuit in violation of that section; APPROPRIATION.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 19, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)

HB299 (BR1345) - K. Banta, S. Santoro

AN ACT relating to deputy jailers.
Amend KRS 71.060 to allow jailers to appoint deputy jailers who are nonresidents of the Commonwealth.

HB299 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(A. Tackett Laferty) - Add a new subsection to require the jailer to certify that no suitable deputy jailer applicants were available in-state before appointing one who resides out-of-state, and to file the certification with the fiscal court.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 05, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed
Feb 06, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 85-2 with floor amendment (1)
Feb 07, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB301 (BR1179) - J. DuPlessis

AN ACT relating to financial literacy.
Amend KRS 158.1411 to require successful completion of a one-half credit course on financial literacy as a requirement for high school graduation.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Education (H)
Feb 13, 2020 - posted in committee

HB302 (BR1349) - J. DuPlessis

AN ACT relating to the Kentucky State Plane Coordinate System.
Amend KRS 1.010 to delete reference to the Kentucky Coordinate System of 1983 and replace with the Kentucky State Plane Coordinate System; and amend KRS 1.020 to delete reference to the Kentucky Coordinate System of 1983 and replace with the Kentucky State Plane Coordinate System; to replace reference to the National Ocean Service with reference to the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration through its National Geodetic Survey; to require the Commonwealth Office of Technology to establish and publish a series of layered zones covered by geodetically referenced mapping projections adopted by the National Geodetic Survey; to provide updated means for converting meters to feet; to set parameters for plane coordinate

values; to require coordinates based on the Kentucky State Plane Coordinate System that define a position of a corner on a land boundary to be tied to a control monument or station established by conforming to the standards of accuracy for boundary surveying as specified through administrative regulation; and to allow the use of other geodetic reference networks.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Small Business & Information Technology (H)
Jan 27, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 05, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 94-0
Feb 06, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HB303 (BR1318) - L. Willner, A. Scott, C. Booker, P. Minter

AN ACT relating to college student criminal history inquiries.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 164 prohibiting any public or private postsecondary institution from inquiring about a student's criminal history on the institution's admissions application.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB304 (BR1369) - D. Hale

AN ACT relating to the designation of the official syrup of Kentucky.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to name and designate sweet sorghum syrup as the official syrup of Kentucky.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB305 (BR838)/AA/LM - C. Massey, S. Santoro, J. Graviss, R. Rothenburger, B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to consolidated emergency services districts and making an appropriation therefor.
Create various sections of KRS Chapter 65 to define terms; establish procedures for the creation of a consolidated emergency services district; authorize that certain local government officials shall appoint the board of trustees of the district; provide a formula for determining the number of elected members, qualifications of elected members, terms, non-partisan elections, nomination procedures, removal, and district apportionment requirements; establish officers of the district and compensation of officers; provide $100 per day to appointees, elected members compensated pursuant to KRS 64.527; establish the quorum of the board; establish an advisory committee, number, qualifications of appointees, duties of committee and compensation of members; exceed $0.30 per $100 valuation, allow for ballot question for expanded taxation for additional services to be provided, and provide that the additional tax may be either an ad valorem or occupational license tax; allow the board to levy an insurance premium tax or an occupation and license tax; declare that upon creation of a district, the board assumes all duties, responsibilities, and liabilities of former departments or districts, former jurisdictions to be special taxing districts until indebtedness is relieved and that all previously entered into interlocal agreements shall remain in force for their duration; set requirements relating to CERS; amend KRS 65.180 to define consolidated emergency services district as a "taxing districts"; amend KRS 68.180 to grant districts in counties over 300,000 the power to levy a license and occupation tax; amend KRS 68.197 to grant districts in counties over 30,000 the power to levy a license and occupation tax; amend KRS 75.020 to include creation of a district within the definition of merger; amend KRS 78.530 to allow for any districts, not all to be excluded from the provisions; amend KRS 91A.080 to include consolidated emergency services districts; amend KRS 95A.500 to allow the district to receive qualified shares of merged fire districts; amend KRS 118.305 to place elected trustees on ballot; amend KRS 118.315 to include nominating petitions for elected trustees; amend KRS 134.119 to provide that the sheriff shall be compensated for collecting taxes for consolidated emergency service districts; APPROPRIATION.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee

HB306 (BR1341)/LM - B. McCool, S. Santoro, D. Bentley, J. Blanton, T. Branham Clark, R. Brenda, M. Cantrell, C. Freeland, A. Gentry, C. Massey, C. Miller, P. Pratt, D. Schamore, T. Turner, R. Webber, B. Wheatley, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to welding safety.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 198B to establish requirements for projects requiring structural steel welding such as certification of welders and certified inspectors; provide definitions; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Feb 12, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 95-0
Feb 13, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

HB307 (BR51) - D. Elliott, J. Petrie, D. Hale, K. King

AN ACT relating to a statutory exemption for surviving spouses.
Amend KRS 391.030, relating to the descent of property, to increase the surviving spouse exemption from $15,000 to $30,000.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 7, 2020
Feb 10, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0
Feb 11, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 13, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

HB308 (BR1039) - R. Webber, M. Koch, D. Hale, R. Heath, K. King, D. Schamore

AN ACT relating to the selling farmers tax credit.
Amend KRS 154.60-040 to add definitions of terms and incorporate statutory provisions included in the Cabinet for Economic Development's guidelines related to the farmer small business tax credit; create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to allow the farmer small business tax credit to be allowed for income tax purposes; amend KRS 141.0205 to order the farmer small business tax credit; amend KRS 131.190 to allow the Department of Revenue to supply certain statistical data to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue; make various conforming amendments.

Jan 22, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 24, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H); posted in committee

HB309 (BR1382) - M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to open meetings.
Amend KRS 61.846 to allow an agency or the Attorney General to vacate actions taken at a meeting where the agency failed to give notice of the meeting; Amend KRS 61.848 to require a person to be awarded court costs and attorney fees when a court finds there was no justiciable reason for an agency's denial of an open meetings complaint, and to allow a court to vacate actions taken at a meeting where the agency failed to give notice of the meeting.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB310 (BR1333) - R. Wiederstein

AN ACT relating to health care provider employment contracts.
Create a new section of KRS 311.530 to 311.620 to make non-compete provisions in advance practice nurse practitioner, physician, and osteopath employment contracts void and unenforceable, except in limited circumstances when the contract is for the sale of a practice or for employment as a faculty member at a medical school.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB311 (BR1137) - J. Nemes, T. Bojanowski, K. Bratcher, M. Dossett, J. Graviss, M. Hart, R. Heath, N. Kulkarni, B. McCool, J. Miller, P. Pratt, R. Webber

AN ACT relating to free-standing alternative birthing centers.
Create a new section of KRS 216B to define "free-standing alternative birthing center"; require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to promulgate administrative regulations to establish licensure standards for free-standing alternative birthing centers; require the cabinet to form an ad hoc committee to provide input on the development of administrative regulations; state that a certificate of need is not required to establish and license a free-standing alternative birthing center; amend KRS 216B.020 to conform.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB312 (BR1150) - D. Meade , K. Banta, C. Freeland, S. Heavrin, K. King, R. Palumbo, P. Pratt, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to children.
Amend KRS 158.448 to require the Kentucky Department of Education(KDE) to develop processes to promote more expeditious enrollment of students in foster care who are transferring to a new school or district, and the sharing of information among schools, school districts, the Cabinet for Health and Family Services(CHFS), and a child's caseworker; amend KRS 159.170 require that KDE allow a school district's foster care liaison to directly obtain a student's records without requiring staff at the former district to release them first; create a new section of KRS Chapter 199 to provide that educational records released from a school to CHFS, a private agency, or a child's caseworker, shall be limited to the purpose of serving the needs of the student and shall only be released to persons authorized by statute to receive the records; amend KRS 199.640 to require child-placing agencies to have written policies and procedures to explain their outreach activities undertaken to develop cooperative relationships with local school districts and allow the agencies to release information to authorized school staff where a child is enrolling; amend KRS 199.660 to require child-placing agencies to notify CHFS and each other through a registry when a foster family home is closed and require child-placing agencies to ensure that their homes understand and actively support the educational needs of their children through training and support; amend KRS 199.801 to conform; amend KRS 199.802 to require that the child's caseworker shall accompany the child to the new school to enroll the child or contact the school via telephone during the day of enrollment and provide as much information as is known; require a new enrolling school to immediately obtain all school records of an enrolling foster child without needing to first request a release from prior district; require all educational records to be shared with CHFS and the child's caseworker on a confidential basis; allow CHFS, private agencies, and the caseworker to share information with the school and teachers as to a child's unique needs.

HB312 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions; make

technical changes; establish new language amending KRS 199.660 requiring the notification by child-placing agencies to CHFS and each other through a registry when a foster family home is closed; establish new language amending KRS 199.802 relating to when requirements apply to child-caring facilities, child-placing agencies, and state agency caseworkers.
HFA1(D. Meade) - Delete Section 2 of the bill; make technical change related to the reference to the federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act; establish new language that amends KRS 199.802 relating to when a previous school is required to provide student records to a new school; create new language to require the Kentucky Department of Education to conduct a review of its policies and procedures related to student record retention and transfer.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to Education (H)
Jan 30, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1); floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 13, 2020
Feb 13, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendment (1)
Feb 14, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Education (S)

HB313 (BR1359) - J. Fischer, B. Rowland

AN ACT relating to insurance.
Amend KRS 304.47-055 to permit the insurance commissioner to share and receive certain documents, materials, and other information with the National Insurance Crime Bureau; amend KRS 304.47-060 to provide that a person shall not be subject to civil liability for information relating to suspected fraudulent insurance acts furnished to or received from the National Insurance Crime Bureau; repeal and reenact KRS 304.20-410 to require motor vehicle insurance companies to give appropriate discounts on comprehensive coverage for certain insured motor vehicles with an antitheft device or mechanism; amend KRS 304.13-065 to conform; repeal 304.20-400, 304.20-420, 304.20-430, 304.20-440, and 304.20-450, relating to insurance discounts for antitheft devices; provide that the changes to antitheft device discounts on comprehensive motor vehicle coverage shall apply to motor vehicle policies issued or renewed on or after the effective date of this Act.

HB313 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(J. Fischer) - Remove references to anti-theft devices being factory installed or approved by the commissioner; add delayed effective date of January 1, 2021 for Sections 3 to 5 of the Act.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H); posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 31, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 04, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 93-0 with floor amendment (1)
Feb 05, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 07, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (S)

HB314 (BR1383) - J. Graviss

AN ACT relating to jurisdiction of courts.
Amend KRS 24A.120 to increase the amount that a claim may not exceed in District Court from $5,000 to $20,000; amend KRS 24A.230 to increase the amount that a claim may not exceed in the small claims division from $2,500 to $10,000; amend KRS 24A.290 to increase the amount that a counterclaim may not exceed in the small claims division from $2,500 to $10,000.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB315 (BR1044) - N. Tate

AN ACT relating to life insurance for members of the Kentucky National Guard.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 38 to set forth the adjutant general's duties regarding the state-sponsored group life insurance program for the Kentucky National Guard.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)
Feb 18, 2020 - posted in committee

HB316 (BR960) - K. Bratcher, C. Massey, L. Bechler, D. Bentley, S. Riley, R. Rothenburger, W. Thomas

AN ACT relating to the Council on Postsecondary Education.
Amend KRS 164.011 to require each Council on Postsecondary Education board meeting to include a public comment period.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB317 (BR131) - M. Meredith

AN ACT relating to consumer loan companies.
Amend KRS 286.4-530 to establish blended rate cap for certain consumer loans exceeding three thousand dollars ($3,000); make technical corrections.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 14, 2020 - posted in committee

HB318 (BR1375) - P. Minter, S. Westrom, K. Banta, D. Bentley, J. Blanton, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, A. Bowling, T. Branham Clark, K. Bratcher, R. Brenda, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, M. Dossett, J. DuPlessis, D. Elliott, J. Fischer, K. Flood, D. Frazier, C. Freeland, A. Gentry, J. Glenn, J. Gooch Jr., D. Graham, J. Graviss, C. Harris, M. Hart, A. Hatton, R. Heath, S. Heavrin, K. Hinkle, C. Howard, R. Huff, T. Huff, J. Jenkins, M. Koch, A. Koenig, N. Kulkarni, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, M. Marzian, C. Massey, B. McCool, D. Meade , R. Meeks, M. Meredith, R. Meyer, C. Miller, J. Miller, J. Nemes, R. Palumbo, M. Prunty, R. Rand, J. Raymond, S. Riley, B. Rowland, S. Santoro, D. Schamore, A. Scott, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, W. Stone, A. Tackett Laferty, N. Tate, W. Thomas, J. Tipton, T. Turner, R. Webber, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to Women Veterans' Day.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 2 to designate June 12 as Women Veterans' Day in the Commonwealth.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Feb 04, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

HB319 (BR1214) - D. Elliott, R. Brenda, D. Frazier, R. Goforth, D. Graham, J. Graviss, M. Sorolis, A. Tackett Laferty, N. Tate, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to historical preservation of Revolutionary War battlefields, Civil War battlefields, and Underground Railroad sites, and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 171 to establish the Kentucky Civil War site preservation fund and allow the Kentucky Heritage Council to provide grants from the moneys deposited in the fund to private nonprofit organizations for the purchase of certain sites; APPROPRIATION.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)
Jan 29, 2020 - reassigned to Tourism & Outdoor Recreation (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 19, 2020

HB320 (BR911) - R. Heath

AN ACT relating to the investigations by the Kentucky State Police.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 16 to require the Kentucky State Police to investigate a death ruled to be a suicide when requested by a family member within 30 days of the determination.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

HB321 (BR1419) - S. Maddox, M. Prunty, J. Fischer, K. King

AN ACT relating to public protection.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 438 to prohibit medical professionals from performing surgeries or proscribing medications to a minor with the intent to alter the sex the child was assigned at birth and create a Class D felony and a civil cause of action for violations; create a new section of KRS Chapter 405 regarding parental rights in the area of gender identity or gender dysphoria; create a new section of KRS Chapter 61 to create employee protections for public employees who express opinions regarding gender identity or gender dysphoria.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB322 (BR1132)/LM - S. Maddox, J. Miller

AN ACT relating to law enforcement seizure and forfeiture of money and other property, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 218A.440 to require all law enforcement agencies to electronically submit asset seizure-and-forfeiture reporting forms with the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet, declaring whether or not the agency seized or forfeited money or property pursuant to KRS 218A.415; require the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet to notify any law enforcement agency that did not file, to allow the agency an additional 30 days to file, and if the agency still does not file, refer the agency to the Attorney General for civil action; provide a $500 late filing fee; require the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet to provide an annual report to the Attorney General, the Legislative Research Commission, and the Interim Joint Committee on Judiciary; amend KRS 218.405 to define "law enforcement agency"; EMERGENCY; APPROPRIATION.

HB322 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/LM - Delete the requirement for law enforcement agencies to electronically submit asset seizure-and-forfeiture reporting forms for money or property seized in fiscal years 2018 and 2019; APPROPRIATION.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 19, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)

HB323 (BR153) - J. DuPlessis, R. Brenda, J. Graviss, M. Hart, R. Palumbo, R. Rothenburger, M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to net metering.
Amend KRS 278.466 to allow eligible electric generating facilities beginning service after the effective date of the initial net metering rate order issued by the Public Service Commission but before December 31, 2024, to maintain the same net metering rates as eligible generating facilitates beginning service before the effective date of the initial order until December 31, 2029.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (H)

HB324 (BR71) - J. Graviss, M. Hart, R. Goforth, D. Lewis, R. Rothenburger, J. Sims Jr, A. Tackett Laferty, S. Westrom,

B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to a tax credit for volunteer firefighters.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to establish a $1,000 refundable income tax credit for certain volunteer firefighters; declare the purpose of the credit; require annual reporting to the Legislative Research Commission to evaluate the impact of the credit; amend KRS 141.0205 to provide the ordering of the credit; amend KRS 131.190 to allow reporting.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB325 (BR955) - A. Bowling, T. Branham Clark, R. Palumbo

AN ACT relating to the certified rehabilitation tax credit cap.
Amend KRS 171.396 to expand the certified rehabilitation tax credit cap to $30 million annually instead of the current tax credit cap of $5 million annually; define a rural county; amend KRS 171.397 to allow a 30% credit for qualified expenses for property located within a rural county; change the maximum credit that can be claimed for all other property that is not owner-occupied residential to $5 million annually instead of the current cap of $400,000 annually; and reserve 40% of the certified rehabilitation credit cap for property located in a rural county.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB326 (BR207) - J. Graviss, J. Jenkins, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, T. Branham Clark, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, K. Flood, A. Gentry, J. Glenn, D. Graham, C. Harris, A. Hatton, K. Hinkle, N. Kulkarni, R. Meeks, C. Miller, P. Minter, R. Palumbo, J. Raymond, D. Schamore, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, A. Tackett Laferty, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to election districts and making an appropriation therefor.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 5 to establish the Advisory Redistricting Commission, which shall be composed of members appointed by the General Assembly and members of the public at large; define terms; establish commissioner pay, conditions, powers, and duties; provide that commissioners' terms correlate with obligations of each census cycle; establish the conditions, powers, and duties of the commission; require the commission to draft redistricting plans for legislative and congressional districts, with parameters prescribed; establish standards to be followed by the commission for commissioners who develop plans; require the commission to submit its redistricting plans to the Legislative Research Commission for referral to the Interim Joint Committee on State Government; require the General Assembly to consider the commission's plans as approved by the Interim Joint Committee on State Government; allow the General Assembly to enact or reject the plans of the commission by a date certain or to return to the commission for adjustment; provide that if the General Assembly does not enact the plans, the plans shall be returned to the commission, which may incorporate changes requested by the General Assembly, but shall not be required to incorporate changes; require the commission to submit to the General Assembly new redistricting plans for enactment at a date certain; allow General Assembly to enact its own redistricting plans after a date certain; provide for penalties and fine upon conviction of persons attempting to influence, or commissioners accepting influence, per the duties of the commission; include severability clause; amend KRS 5.005 to remove the Secretary of State as being named as a defendant in any action challenging the constitutionality of any legislative district and replace with the Advisory Redistricting Commission as being named the defendant; provide that the Act may be cited as the "Fair Maps Act."

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB327 (BR245)/LM - K. Bratcher, J. Petrie, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, C. Freeland, R. Goforth, D. Graham, J. Graviss, T. Huff, D. Lewis, S. Maddox, C. Massey, M. Sorolis, B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to expungement of criminal records.
Amend KRS 431.076 to create automatic expungement of acquittals and dismissals with prejudice occurring after the effective date of the Act; allow expungement of past acquittals and dismissals with prejudice by petition; and allow expungement of felony charges held to the grand jury which have not resulted in an indictment after 12 months.

HB327 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/LM - Retain original provisions; define "criminal charges" to exclude traffic infractions from automatic expungement.
HFA1(J. Hoover) - Clarify that cases which proceed by information instread of indictment are not eligible for expungement.

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1); floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 7, 2020
Feb 10, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0 with Committee Substitute (1) and floor amendment (1)
Feb 11, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 13, 2020 - to Judiciary (S)

HB328 (BR1352)/AA - J. Nemes

AN ACT relating to financing actuarially accrued pension liabilities of the plans administered by the Judicial Form Retirement System.
Amend KRS 21.525 to provide that beginning with the 2021 actuarial valuation, unfunded liabilities of the Judicial Retirement Plan and the Legislators' Retirement Plan shall be amortized over a closed 25- year period, except that: any future legislative changes shall be separately amortized over a closed 20- year period; any future changes in actuarial methods or assumptions shall be amortized over a closed 15-year period; and any future actuarial gains or losses shall be amortized over a 15- year closed period; provide that beginning with the 2021 actuarial valuation, the actuarially accrued liability contribution shall be calculated using the level dollar amortization method.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Feb 04, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 18, 2020 - posting withdrawn

HB329 (BR1209) - A. Tackett Laferty, B. McCool, C. Howard

AN ACT relating to a tax credit for volunteer firefighters.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to establish a refundable income tax credit for certain volunteer firefighters; declare the purpose of the credit; require annual reporting to the Legislative Research Commission to evaluate the impact of the credit; amend KRS 141.0205 to provide the ordering of the credit; amend KRS 131.190 to allow confidential tax return information to be shared with the Legislative Research Commission.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB330 (BR1390)/LM - M. Cantrell, M. Sorolis, S. Westrom

AN ACT relating to leave from employment.
Amend KRS 337.415, relating to court-ordered appearances by employees, to prohibit employers from discharging or retaliating against an employee who is a crime victim when the employee takes leave to attend proceedings associated with a crime; require an employee to give an employer reasonable notice to take leave when practicable; provide guidelines for use of paid leave; require the employer to maintain confidentiality of records and communication with employee crime victim; create a private right of action for improper discharge, discrimination, retaliation, and failing to maintain confidentiality; define terms; amend KRS 337.990 to establish penalties in the case of violation by employer.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB331 (BR1410) - S. Heavrin, B. Rowland, D. Schamore

AN ACT relating to the Kentucky Educational Savings Plan Trust.
Amend KRS 164A.305 to include in the definition of "qualified educational expenses" certain qualified education loan repayments and certain expenses for registered apprenticeship programs.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Education (H)
Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules

HB332 (BR1424)/LM - P. Pratt, B. McCool

AN ACT relating to broadband service.
Amend KRS 154.15-010 to add definitions for "broadband service", "eligible entity", "unserved area", "wholesale network access"; amend KRS 154.15-020 to require the Kentucky Communications Network Authority to offer wholesale access to the excess capacity on KentuckyWired only in unserved areas.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Small Business & Information Technology (H)
Feb 06, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - recommitted to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB333 (BR1433) - D. Schamore, M. Koch, K. Bratcher, J. DuPlessis, A. Gentry, C. Harris, M. Hart, S. Heavrin, S. Lewis, C. Massey, R. Rothenburger, B. Rowland, N. Tate, W. Thomas, R. Webber, B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to the Kentucky National Guard Adoption Assistance Program and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 36.477 to raise the amount of available assistance from the Kentucky National Guard Adoption Assistance Program; EMERGENCY.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)
Feb 07, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 14, 2020
Feb 18, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 92-0
Feb 19, 2020 - received in Senate

HB334 (BR1391) - M. Cantrell, K. Flood, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, C. Stevenson

AN ACT proposing to create a new section of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to natural resources.
Propose to create a new section of the Constitution of Kentucky establishing a right of the people to have clean air, pure water, and for the Commonwealth to be required to preserve the natural, scenic, historic, and esthetic values of the environment for the benefit of all Kentuckians; provide ballot language; submit to voters for ratification or rejection.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental

Affairs (H)

HB335 (BR1450) - K. Bratcher, D. Schamore, C. Massey, R. Palumbo, M. Prunty

AN ACT relating to business opportunities for United States military members and veterans.

Amend KRS 42.0146 to allow certification as a disabled veteran-owned business by the United States Department of Veterans Affairs Center for Verification and Evaluation to meet the criteria of veteran eligibility, ownership, and control.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Small Business & Information Technology (H)
Feb 03, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Feb 11, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 95-0
Feb 12, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 14, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, & Public Protection (S)

HB336 (BR1316)/LM - J. Fischer, K. Bratcher, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to gubernatorial elections.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 118 to require a candidate for Governor to select a running mate in a slate of candidates after filing a certificate or petition of nomination and not later than the second Tuesday in August preceding the regular election for the office of Governor; establish a procedure to follow if a vacancy occurs in a candidacy for the office of Lieutenant Governor; amend KRS 121.015 to redefine "slate of candidates;' amend KRS 117.275, 118.025, 118.125, 118.245, 120.055, 120.095, and 121.170 to conform; repeal KRS 118.127 and 118.227.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 19, 2020
Feb 19, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 56-36

HB337 (BR949) - J. Fischer

AN ACT relating to county clerk fees.

Amend KRS 64.012 to add affidavits of conversion or severance, assignments of release, and statements of authority as to real property to the list of filings with a specified fee; specify that the $10 permanent storage fee is to accrue throughout the county clerk's term; amend KRS 186A.298 and 273A.020 to conform.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

HB338 (BR1455) - K. Hinkle, J. Jenkins

AN ACT relating to drug treatment and prevention and making an appropriation therefor.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 222 to establish the Kentucky addiction prevention, recovery, and enforcement fund; establish administering committee membership; direct all revenues from the Commonwealth related to the drug epidemic to the fund; describe authorized fund expenditures; require fund reporting; APPROPRIATION.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB339 (BR1412)/LM - S. Miles, J. Nemes, J. Miller

AN ACT relating to the natural resources severance and processing tax.

Amend KRS 143A.010 to change the definition of "processing" to include the act of loading or unloading limestone that has not otherwise been severed or treated in the Commonwealth; amend KRS 143A.035 to allow a credit for substantially identical severance or processing taxes paid to another state or political subdivision thereof; provide that no taxpayer may claim a total amount of credit that exceeds his or her tax liability; allow the Department of Revenue to report tax credit information to the Legislative Research Commission; amend KRS 131.190 to authorize the release of information from the Department of Revenue; EFFECTIVE August 1, 2020.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB340 (BR1451) - R. Huff, P. Pratt, D. Schamore

AN ACT relating to speech-language pathologists or audiologists.

Amend KRS 157.397 to require local boards of education to provide an annual salary supplement to qualified speech-language pathologists or audiologists.

HB340 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(R. Huff) - Clarify the provisions of paragraph (a) apply to the entire subsection.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Education (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 04, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 05, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 07, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Feb 11, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 95-0 with floor amendment (1)
Feb 12, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 14, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (S)

HB341 (BR1357) - R. Huff

AN ACT relating to teacher certification.

Amend KRS 161.030 to allow retired teacher certificate renewal based on completion of professional development.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB342 (BR264)/LM - N. Tate

AN ACT relating to duties of elected officials.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 67 to require that all elected county officers develop and maintain a records retention policy and an inventory policy for the elected office; establish a penalty for failure to comply.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

HB343 (BR1029)/LM - M. Prunty

AN ACT relating to supplemental payments to police officers.

Amend KRS 15.420 to include members of joint task forces who do not currently receive an annual supplement.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)
Feb 07, 2020 - posted in committee

HB344 (BR1294) - K. Moser, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to Kentucky All Schedule Prescription Electronic Reporting.

Amend KRS 218A.240 to add permission for the Cabinet for Health and Family Services or applicable licensing board to access KASPER data to notify patients of a practitioner's emergency closure; amend KRS 218A.245 to delete reporting requirement on reciprocal interstate agreements for prescription drug monitoring program data exchanges.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 04, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 06, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 07, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Feb 12, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 94-0
Feb 13, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 18, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

HB345 (BR1392) - T. Huff, K. King

AN ACT relating to land surveyors.

Create a new section of KRS 322.400 to 322.470 to require land surveyors to carry errors and omission insurance, require the board to make insurance available under a group policy, but allow land surveyors to obtain insurance independently; if the board is unable to obtain a group policy, the requirements of this section shall be waived for the applicable contract year.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB346 (BR975) - M. Koch

AN ACT relating to massage therapy.

Amend KRS 309.350 to define "animal massage therapist", "massage establishment", and "practice of animal massage therapy"; create a new section of KRS 309.350 to 309.364 to allow a veterinarian holding a license in good standing to perform animal massage therapy as part of the practice for which he or she is licensed; allow a veterinarian technician holding a license in good standing to perform animal massage therapy as part of the practice for which he or she is licensed; prohibit a person from practicing animal massage therapy unless he or she has met certain educational and licensure requirements; prohibit a person from holding himself or herself out to be an animal massage therapist unless he or she has met the educational and licensure requirements; require approved animal massage therapy training programs to hold an accreditation recognized by the United States Department of Education; establish the conditions upon which a person may be granted a license as a large or small animal massage therapist; establish the conditions upon which the board may grant an animal massage therapy license; require an animal massage therapist to report to the animal's owner or representative any findings that indicate an examination by a licensed veterinarian; require an animal massage therapist to provide notification of the results of the treatment and summary of observations of the animal's condition; amend KRS 309.351 to allow licensed massage therapists to use pulsed electromagnetic field therapy or microcurrent devices for which they are trained; amend KRS 309.354 to remove the requirement for a massage school owner or director to be a member of the board; require the chair to appoint an advisory committee to the board; allow members of the committee to present new items to be considered for the board agenda to the board chair; amend KRS 309.355 to allow the board to fine any massage establishment that employs or contracts with unlicensed practitioners who perform massages; allow the board to fine any massage establishment that fails to report to the board any license massage therapist who violates KRS Chapter 309.350 to 309.364 or administrative regulations promulgated by the board while employed by the massage establishment; give the board the authority to hire staff for the work of the board; amend KRS 309.357 to remove the list of existing fees from statute and charge the board to promulgate administrative regulations that establish a reasonable schedule of fees and charges for the issuance and restoration of licenses and certificates and for the renewal of licenses; establish the conditions under which a license may be reinstated or renewed; amend KRS 309.358 to add background checks conducted by the Kentucky State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation as a requirement for licensure; allow licensure to be obtained through an associate's degree if the program meets the requirements of a training program approved by the board; amend KRS 309.361 to require licensees to complete 12 hours of continuing education instead

of 24 as a condition of licensure renewal; require 3 of the 12 hours of continuing education to be completed in ethics; amend KRS 309.362 to increase the cap on fines from $500 to $1,000 per violation for repeat offenders; amend KRS 309.363 to require the board to accept the Federation of State Massage Therapy Boards' guidelines in approving continuing education; amend KRS 309.3631 to require applications for the initial certificate of good standing and annual renewals to be submitted with a fee prescribed by the board.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB347 (BR1425)/LM - P. Pratt

AN ACT relating to regulatory licensing fees.
Amend KRS 243.075 to allow a county that contains a city authorized to also charge a regulatory licensing fee to charge a fee; allow a county or city that held a local option election between July 15, 2014, and July 15, 2017, to impose a fee within two years of the date of the Act.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)
Feb 03, 2020 - reassigned to Local Government (H)
Feb 06, 2020 - posted in committee

HB348 (BR884)/FN - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to unbudgeted federal funds.
Amend KRS 48.630 to prohibit the three branches of government from requesting an allotment of unbudgeted funds, except in the case of unbudgeted federal funds.

HB348 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(S. Rudy) - Exempt institutions of higher education.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar; floor amendment (1) filed
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 13, 2020

HB349 (BR1262)/AA - J. Graviss

AN ACT relating to retirement plans covering legislators and declaring an emergency.
Create a new section of KRS 6.500 to 6.577 to close the Legislators' Retirement Plan (LRP) to new members effective July 1, 2020, and to provide that new legislators shall participate in the Kentucky Employees Retirement System (KERS) for the duration of their legislative service; clarify that legislators who are also teachers contributing to the Teachers' Retirement System (TRS) may continue to participate in TRS while serving as a member of the General Assembly; provide that LRP members who entered the plan on or after January 1, 2014, and who are participating in the LRP cash balance plan shall have their account balance transferred to the KERS hybrid cash balance plan and shall prospectively participate in KERS for the duration of their legislative service; repeal. reenact, and amend KRS 6.520 to allow a member of LRP in the traditional defined benefit plan to elect to have their benefit factor lowered from 2.75% to 1.97% for service accrued on or after July 1, 2020; repeal, reenact, and amend KRS 6.525 to provide that a member in the LRP traditional defined benefit plan may elect to not include any non-legislative compensation earned in another state-administered retirement system on or after July 1, 2020, in the calculation of their LRP benefits; amend KRS 21.525 to provide that the Judicial Form Retirement System shall not request or receive any funding for the LRP, except for administrative expenses, until the LRP plan has an actuarial funding level equal to or less than the KERS nonhazardous pension fund; amend KRS 61.510 to provide that for any service to the General Assembly that is credited to the Kentucky Employees Retirement System, a member may elect compensation earned for other covered public employment which shall not be used to determine the portion of their benefit related to their service to the General Assembly; amend KRS 6.500 to conform; repeal, reenact, and amend KRS 6.505, 21.402, and 61.680 to conform and to restore and delete language due to a recent court ruling; EMERGENCY.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB350 (BR1418)/FN - C. McCoy, J. Miller

AN ACT relating to opportunities in education.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 141 to establish a separate income tax credit for tuition assistance based on contributions made to a qualified scholarship-granting organization; provide goals and reporting of metrics related to those goals; amend KRS 141.0205 to establish the order in which the credits may be taken; create new sections of KRS 136.500 to 136.575 to allow financial institutions to take the tax credit against the tax imposed by KRS 136.505; order all tax credits; create a new section of KRS Chapter 136 to require the Kentucky Department of Education to publish a list of certified nonpublic schools and nonpublic schools seeking certification; require the Department of Revenue to report information to the Legislative Research Commission; amend KRS 131.190 to conform.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB351 (BR108)/FN - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to revenue measures and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 138.130 to define terms for taxes on tobacco products; amend KRS 138.140 to increase the surtax on cigarettes and the excise tax on chewing tobacco, snuff, and tobacco products effective July 1, 2020; impose an excise tax on vapor products effective July 1, 2020; remove exemption for modified risk tobacco products; amend KRS 138.143 to impose a floor stock tax on cigarettes, all forms of tobacco products, and vapor products; amend KRS 141.0401 to increase the minimum limited liability entity tax to $225, currently $175; apply increase in limited liability entity tax to taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2020; EMERGENCY.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee

HB352 (BR1068) - S. Rudy

AN ACT relating to appropriations and revenue measures providing financing and conditions for the operations, maintenance, support, and functioning of the government of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and its various officers, cabinets, departments, boards, commissions, institutions, subdivisions, agencies, and other state-supported activities.
The State/Executive Branch Budget: Detail Part I, Operating Budget; appropriate to General Government: 2019-2020: $21,535,000, 2020-2021: $1,793,871,500, 2021-2022: $1,813,688,900; appropriate to the Economic Development Cabinet: 2020-2021: $33,195,900, 2021-2022: $36,055,300; appropriate to the Department of Education: 2020-2021: $5,183,508,800, 2021-2022: $5,228,565,200; appropriate to the Education and Workforce Development Cabinet: 2020-2021: $615,595,100, 2021-2022: $617,246,200; appropriate to the Energy and Environment Cabinet: 2019-2020: $700,000, 2020-2021: $272,541,300, 2021-2022: $253,649,300; appropriate to the Finance and Administration Cabinet: 2019-2020: $2,800,000, 2020-2021: $1,000,424,300, 2021-2022: $972,192,200; appropriate to the Health and Family Services Cabinet: 2020-2021: $15,007,584,100, 2021-2022: $15,285,043,300; appropriate to the Justice and Public Safety Cabinet: 2019-2020: $17,216,900, 2020-2021: $1,345,687,300, 2021-2022: $1,369,130,400; appropriate to the Labor Cabinet: 2020-2021: $202,693,700, 2021-2022: $204,407,600; appropriate to the Personnel Cabinet: 2020-2021: $64,171,200, 2021-2022: $64,610,500; appropriate to Postsecondary Education: 2019-2020: $497,400, 2020-2021: $8,536,480,700, 2021-2022: $8,930,169,100; appropriate to the Public Protection Cabinet: 2020-2021: $129,067,100, 2021-2022: $129,301,700; appropriate to the Tourism, Arts and Heritage Cabinet: 2019-2020: $2,700,000, 2020-2021: $275,773,400, 2021-2022: $281,291,000; appropriate to the Budget Reserve Trust Fund: 2020-2021: $10,000,000, 2021-2022: $0; not included in the appropriation amounts are capital project amounts as follows: 2019-2020: $7,500,000, 2020-2021: $6,537,358,500, 2021-2022: $249,695,600; detail Part II, Capital Projects Budget; detail Part III, General Provisions; detail Part IV, State Salary/Compensation, Benefit, and Employment Policy; detail Part V, Funds Transfer; detail Part VI, General Fund Budget Reduction Plan; detail Part VII, General Fund Surplus Expenditure Plan; detail Part VIII, Road Fund Budget Reduction Plan; detail Part IX, Road Fund Surplus Expenditure Plan; detail Part X, Phase I Tobacco Settlement; and detail Part XI, Executive Branch Budget Summary.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee

HB353 (BR1071) - S. Rudy, S. Santoro

AN ACT relating to appropriations providing financing and conditions for the operations, maintenance, support, and functioning of the Transportation Cabinet of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.
The Transportation Cabinet Budget: appropriate from the General Fund, Restricted Funds, Federal Funds, and Road Fund $4,265,500 in fiscal year 2019-2020, $2,430,720,400 in fiscal year 2020-2021, and $2,393,284,000 in fiscal year 2021-2022 for operating costs; appropriate from Road Fund and Investment Income for various capital projects; require the Secretary of the Transportation Cabinet to produce a document detailing the 2020-2022 Biennial Highway Construction Program and the Highway Preconstruction Program; provide debt service to the General Administration and Support budget unit; allow the Transportation Cabinet to receive funds and services for the Adopt-A-Highway Litter Program; provide funds for Aviation's operational costs; provide debt service to the Aviation budget unit; provide funds for Economic Development Road lease-rental payments; provide that no portion of the revenues to the state Road Fund accrue to the Debt Payment Acceleration Fund account; provide debt service for Grant Anticipation Revenue Vehicle (GARVEE) Bonds; provide funds for the State-Supported Construction Program, Biennial Highway Construction Program, Highway Construction Contingency Account, and the Kentucky Pride Fund; authorize projects in the 2018-2020 Biennial Highway Construction Plan to continue into the 2020-2022 biennium; authorize the Transportation Cabinet to match federal highway moneys; prioritize projects should any additional federal highway moneys become available; authorize the Transportation Cabinet to continue the Cash Management Plan and to make programmatic adjustments; provide for carry forward of any unexpended Road Fund appropriations in the Highways budget unit for various programs; provide for the transfer of Road Fund resources for judgments; authorize the Transportation Cabinet to maximize the use of Toll Credits; provide funds for the County Road Aid Program, the Rural Secondary Program, the Municipal Road Aid Program, and the Energy Recovery Road Fund; stipulate that each County Judge/Executive not serving in a consolidated local government shall receive an annual expense allowance of $2,400 to be paid quarterly from the

Rural Secondary Program; provide debt service to the Vehicle Regulation budget unit; provide for Capital Construction Fund appropriations and reauthorizations; provide for the expiration of existing line-item capital construction projects; allow investment income earned from bond proceeds beyond that which is required to satisfy IRS arbitrage rebates and penalties and excess bond proceeds upon the completion of a bond-financed capital project to be used to pay debt service; allow for appropriations for projects not line-itemized; authorize various capital projects; specify funds transfers.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee

HB354 (BR1072) - S. Rudy, S. Santoro

AN ACT relating to road projects and declaring an emergency.
Set out the 2020-2022 Biennial Highway Construction Plan; EMERGENCY.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee

HB355 (BR1070) - S. Rudy

AN ACT making appropriations for the operations, maintenance, and support of the Legislative Branch of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.
The Legislative Branch Budget: appropriate from the General Fund $73,936,000 for fiscal year 2020-2021 and $75,938,700 for fiscal year 2021-2022; appropriate from Restricted Funds $75,000 for fiscal year 2020-2021 and $175,000 for fiscal year 2021-2022, with appropriations allocated as follows: General Assembly 2020-2021 $20,898,400 2021-2022 $21,852,100 Legislative Research Commission 2020-2021 $53,112,600 2021-2022 $54,261,600.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee

HB356 (BR1069) - S. Rudy, J. Nemes

AN ACT making appropriations for the operations, maintenance, support, and functioning of the Judicial Branch of the government of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and its various officers, boards, commissions, subdivisions, and other state-supported activities.
The Judicial Branch Budget: appropriate $476,780,400 in fiscal year 2020-2021 and $490,618,400 in fiscal year 2021-2022 from the General Fund, Restricted Funds, and Federal Funds; provide funds for defined calculations; provide funds for current position levels; provide funds for a 2.5% increase in each year of the biennium for all non-elected and elected personnel; provide that funds in the Court Operations and Administration appropriation unit carry forward; provide that if the Supreme Court retains the 2008 and 2018 increases in civil filing fees, the additional income, not to exceed $15,468,100 in each fiscal year, shall be deposited in a trust and agency account for court operations; provide funds to support use allowance, operating, and non-recurring furniture and equipment costs for two judicial center projects; provide funds to create a maintenance pool for planned and unanticipated non-capital projects for local courthouses and judicial centers; provide funds to compensate local units of government for providing court space and for costs incurred in the development of local court facilities; provide that funds in the Local Facilities Fund carry forward; provide that funds in the Local Facilities Use Allowance Contingency Fund carry forward; provide funds for actuarial-assessed judicial retirement benefits; provide for administrative expenses; provide General Fund support for use allowance payments for Jefferson County; defer General Fund support for operating costs, annualized use allowance payments, and nonrecurring furniture and equipment costs for Butler, Crittenden, Jessamine, Clinton, and Owsley Counties to the 2022-2024 fiscal biennium; authorize leases; clarify that nothing in this bill shall reduce funding of court facility projects authorized by the General Assembly; provide that if a court facility project is occupied and use allowance funding is insufficient that use allowance payments must be approved from the Local Facilities Use Allowance Contingency Fund, or if funds are not available in the Local Facilities Use Allowance Contingency Fund, the use allowance payments shall be deemed a necessary government expense; provide the Director of the Administrative Office of the Courts with expenditure authority; provide for severability of budget provisions; declare that KRS 48.312 controls duplicate appropriations; clarify that KRS 48.313 controls when a total or subtotal of the bill conflicts with a sum of the appropriations of which it consists; provide that any unexpended balance remaining in the Court's Restricted Funds or Federal Funds accounts carry forward; provide for the final budget document; provide for the transferability of funds; provide for appropriations revisions; provide that issuance of paychecks scheduled for June 30, 2020, June 30, 2021, and June 30, 2022, shall not be issued prior to July 1, 2020, July 1, 2021, and July 1, 2022; provide for participation in any Budget Reduction Plan or Surplus Expenditure Plan.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee

HB357 (BR1502) - D. Frazier, S. Rudy, K. Banta, M. Hart, C. Massey, J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to emergency medical services professions reciprocity.
Amend KRS 311A.142 to require reciprocity of certification or licensure for any member of the United States military who is registered by the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians as an emergency medical responder, emergency medical technician, advanced emergency medical technician, or paramedic; grant reciprocity to any emergency medical responder, emergency medical technician, advanced emergency medical technician, or paramedic that is currently certified or licensed and is in good standing with a state contiguous to Kentucky.

HB357 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(J. Donohue) - Add that an emergency service provider or other entity employing a person who resides in a contiguous state for a position as an emergency medical responder, emergency medical technician, paramedic, or advanced emergency medical technician certify with the Kentucky Board of Emergency Medical Services that a qualified resident of Kentucky was not available.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 03, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Feb 06, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 14, 2020
Feb 14, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed
Feb 18, 2020 - 3rd reading; floor amendment (1) defeated; passed 90-2
Feb 19, 2020 - received in Senate

HB358 (BR1220) - M. Hart, P. Pratt, B. McCool, R. Meyer

AN ACT relating to sales and use taxes.
Amend KRS 139.010 to define "affiliate"; amend KRS 139.480 to exempt certain tangible personal property from sales and use tax if purchased by providers of communications services, multichannel video programming services, internet access, or any combination, thereof, and require yearly report of the exemption to the Legislative Research Commission; amend KRS 131.190 to authorize the report from the Department of Revenue, and reorder the; EFFECTIVE August 1, 2020.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 03, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB359 (BR202) - J. Fischer, K. King

AN ACT relating to child welfare.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 403 prohibiting a sex offender from receiving custody or unsupervised visitation of a child; list exceptions to the prohibition. Amend KRS 403.270, 403.280, 403.340, and 403.740, relating to custody and visitation, to provide that those sections are subject to the prohibition in Section 1. Amend KRS 600.020 to add knowingly allowing a child to have unsupervised contact with a sex offender as an element of abuse or neglect.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 03, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Feb 07, 2020 - posted in committee

HB360 (BR314) - D. Frazier, D. Elliott, M. Hart, R. Rothenburger, J. Sims Jr

AN ACT relating to missing persons.
Amend KRS 39F.180 to require that any agency searching for a lost or missing person contact appropriate agencies within four hours of receiving the report and utilize existing resources, including but not limited to electronic highway signs, the Amber Alert system, law enforcement communication systems, electronic media, local, regional, and statewide media providers, and the Integrated Public Alert and Warning System, if authorized and under conditions permitted by the federal government.

HB360 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Amend KRS 39F.180 to require that any agency searching for a lost or missing person contact appropriate agencies within four hours of receiving the report and utilize existing resources, including but not limited to electronic highway signs, the Amber Alert system, law enforcement communication systems, electronic media, local, regional, and statewide media providers, and the Integrated Public Alert and Warning System, if authorized and under conditions permitted by the federal government.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 03, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)
Feb 07, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 14, 2020
Feb 18, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 19, 2020 - received in Senate

HB361 (BR449)/CI/LM - D. Frazier, J. Petrie, M. Meredith, P. Pratt

AN ACT relating to prisoners and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 441.520, relating to the transfer of prisoners, to require an agreement between an originating and receiving jail before ordering the transfer of a prisoner; specify that if a transfer is ordered before receiving an agreement, the receiving jail shall not be required to house the prisoner nor shall the receiving jail's jailer be subject to contempt; outline what a receiving jail may charge for housing a transferred prisoner; require a sheriff to transport the transferred prisoner; require a Circuit Judge to review his or her transfer order every 60 days; amend KRS 441.530 to conform; amend KRS 532.100, relating to the placement of state prisoners, to provide for the transfer of state prisoners from jails at or over 150% capacity; allow a jail to place county prisoners in an area usually reserved for state prisoners if that area has vacant beds; amend KRS 197.020, 439.3407, 441.005, 441.045, 441.146, and 533.025 to conform; EMERGENCY.

HB361 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/CI/LM - Clarify that the originating jail's sheriff shall be responsible for the transportation of any prisoner transferred pursuant to Section 1.
HFA1(J. Hoover) - Delete the requirement that a state prisoner can only be transferred by the Department of Corrections from a jail that is over 150% capacity.

HFA2(J. Hoover) - Delete the requirement that a state prisoner can only be transferred by the Department of Corrections from a jail that is over 150% capacity.

Jan 31, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 03, 2020 - to Judiciary (H); posted in committee
Feb 19, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1); floor amendment (1) filed to bill, floor amendment (2) filed to Committee Substitute

HB362 (BR1526) - P. Pratt, R. Heath, J. Blanton, R. Brenda, R. Bridges, D. Elliott, D. Frazier, R. Goforth, J. Graviss, D. Hale, M. Hart, M. Meredith, S. Miles, B. Reed, B. Rowland, S. Rudy, S. Santoro, D. Schamore, J. Sims Jr, R. Wiederstein

AN ACT relating to broadband deployment.
Amend various sections of KRS Chapter 224A to add definitions of "broadband", "broadband deployment fund", "broadband deployment project", "broadband deployment project area", "census block", "shapefile", and "underserved area"; include moneys received under KRS 224.1121 as revenues of the Kentucky Infrastructure Authority; clarify that broadband deployment fund would be used to provide assistance to construct infrastructure for deployment of broadband service to underserved and unserved areas of the Commonwealth and that the moneys are appropriated for those purposes; provide that the broadband deployment fund shall be used to provide grants to deploy broadband service to underserved as well as unserved areas of the Commonwealth and provide the requirements for grant applications.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Small Business & Information Technology (H)
Feb 06, 2020 - posted in committee

HB363 (BR1041) - J. Blanton, M. Dossett

AN ACT relating to court costs and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 17 to establish the Department of Kentucky State Police forensic laboratory fund; amend KRS 23A.205 and 24A.175 to increase court costs to $110, currently $100; amend KRS 42.320 to require the Finance and Administration Cabinet to transfer the first $10 of each court cost to the Department of Kentucky State Police forensic laboratory fund; amend KRS 49.480 and 64.092, to conform; amend KRS 186.574 to increase the fee required by each participant in a county attorney-operated traffic safety program to $40, currently $30, and require the Finance and Administration Cabinet to transfer the first $10 of the fee to the Department of Kentucky State Police forensic laboratory fund; amend KRS 211.504 and 441.685 to conform; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB364 (BR1524) - D. Frazier, D. Lewis

AN ACT relating to the Kentucky Real Estate Appraisers Board.
Amend KRS 324A.010 to redefine "federally related transaction"; amend KRS 324A.015 to require the board to employ state certified general appraisers with at least five years of experience to conduct grievance investigations; amend KRS 324A.035 to prevent newer appraisers from becoming appraisers of nonfederally related transactions; amend KRS 324A.047 and 324A.050 to clarify standards; amend KRS 324A.052 to establish complaint time limits; amend KRS 324A.065 to set and reduce fees; amend KRS 324A.150 to redefine "appraiser panel"; amend KRS 324A.152 to require an appraisal management company to certify that it is not partly or fully owned by an appraiser whose license has been disciplined; amend KRS 324A.154 to allow the appraiser board to promulgate administrative regulations only with the approval of the executive director of the Kentucky Real Estate Authority; amend KRS 324A.164 to exclude a federally defined "federally regulated appraisal management company" from the appraisal management company statutes.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB365 (BR927)/FN - M. Hart, K. Bratcher

AN ACT relating to fertilizer and pesticide use and application.
Repeal and reenact KRS 217B.040 to define terms; repeal and reenact KRS 217B.140 to clarify the procedures for claims of, and investigations into, pesticide misuse by an applicator; repeal and reenact KRS 217B.500 to define terms; amend KRS 217B.505 to reduce the number of board members from seven to six on the Structural Pest Management Advisory Board; require that the board meet no less than two times per year; repeal and reenact KRS 217B.515 to establish the registration and examination requirements for any person engaging in structural pest management or structural fumigation; specify licensing requirements for any persons holding only a termite or general pest control license or a fumigation license; establish that licenses shall expire annually; authorize the department to promulgate administrative regulations relating to structural pest management and structural fumigation; allow the department to assess fees for such licenses and costs related to the administration of examinations; amend various sections of KRS Chapter 217B to remove limitations on fees for pesticide-related licenses and make technical corrections; remove the requirement that pesticide-related license applications must include details of any equipment used by the applicant to apply pesticides; remove set fees for pesticide operator licenses; remove the set fees for pesticide application licenses; authorize the Department of Agriculture to set fees for noncommercial licenses; authorize the department to issue noncommercial applicator licenses to, and waive fees for, qualifying prison inmates and other incarcerated persons; remove the specific amount for pesticide dealer registration fees and annual renewal fees; remove the specific amount for pesticide dealer branch office registration fees and annual renewal fees; specify violations for which the department may assess civil penalties; specify eligibility requirements for commercial licensing, noncommercial licensing, dealer registration, or structural pest management company registration provisions shall not apply; remove the specific amount for pesticide sales agent license registration fees and annual renewal fees; remove the specific amount for pesticide applicator trainee registration fees; authorize the department to promulgate administrative regulations for the regulation of pesticides sold and used in the Commonwealth; establish the powers and duties of the board; specify the requirements for applicants for an operator's license; specify examination requirements for commercial structural pest management operator examinations; remove the specific amount for examination fees; authorize the department to promulgate administrative regulations for license testing fees; specify requirements of operator license holders; require structural pest management companies and employers of noncommercial applicators to register annually and pay a fee for each office; require nonresident operators, applicators, and structural pest management companies to designate a resident agent upon whom service of process may be made to enforce the provisions of KRS 217B.515 to KRS 217B.585; specify violations of KRS 217B.515 to KRS 217B.585 for which the department may assess civil penalties; require structural pest management companies to register trainees with the department; authorize the department to promulgate administrative regulations to establish additional requirements for trainees and a fee for registration; authorize the department to promulgate administrative regulations on the identification of vehicles utilized by structural pest management companies; establish that each structural management company and employer of a non-commercial applicator shall be responsible for the actions of its employees or agents in performing structural pest management services; specify actions for an injunction against any person violating or threatening to violate provisions of KRS Chapter 217B or any administrative regulation; establish penalties for offenses; create a new section of KRS Chapter 217B to establish liability insurance requirements for structural pest management companies; create a new section of KRS Chapter 217B to prohibit local regulation of pesticides; repeal KRS 217B.100; 217B.103; 217B.170; 217B.260; 217B.300; 217B.320; and 217B.575.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Feb 06, 2020 - posted in committee

HB366 (BR837) - D. Frazier, D. Bentley, R. Brenda, R. Goforth, C. Howard, D. Lewis, B. McCool, D. Meade , J. Sims Jr, J. Tipton, K. Upchurch, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to Eastern Kentucky University's model and practice school.
Amend KRS 164.380 to establish guidelines for the operation and management of the model and practice schools operated by Eastern Kentucky University; require the board of regents to adopt policies for the operation of the model and practice school; ensure model and practice schools and students eligible for state programs; establish a model and practice school advisory council; provide that for the purposes of determining equalization and local effort the model and practice school students shall be included in the residing district's average daily attendance; amend KRS 164.7874 and KRS 164.7885 to conform; repeal KRS 156.472, relating to textbooks for model and practice school.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Education (H)
Feb 13, 2020 - posted in committee

HB367 (BR1361)/LM - C. McCoy

AN ACT relating to fees that are established for services provided by elected officials.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 64 to define "elected official"; establish that a statutory fee amount for services performed by elected officials or their offices be considered the maximum fee amount; allow the elected official to charge a lower fee amount when the maximum fee amount is not necessary for funding purposes; require a schedule of current fee rates to be posted and records of historical fee rates when the elected official charges a lower fee amount.

HB367 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/LM - Retain original provisions and include magistrate and county commissioner within the definition of elected official; require fiscal court approval to lower fee amount; require that a lower fee amount be the prevailing fee amount applicable to all citizens within the elected official's jurisdiction; prohibit the lowering of any fees that are not charged by the elected official and collected for use in performing the service or funding the elected official's public office or the county; disallow the elected official or fiscal court the authority to reduce revenues to be generated on behalf of the Commonwealth or any other entity.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Feb 06, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 19, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)

HB368 (BR1549) - J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to the Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship.
Amend KRS 164.7874 to delete the requirement that an eligible high school student and eligible postsecondary student not be a convicted felon for KEES eligibility purposes.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB369 (BR1145) - D. Hale, T. Turner

AN ACT relating to cervid meat disposal.
Amend KRS 150.722 to include taxidermists in the requirements for disposal of unused cervid meat; limit the acceptable methods of disposal of unused cervid meat; amend KRS 150.010 to define "cervid."

HB369 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions except add provision to include the definition of "butchers and meat processors" and subject butchers and meat processors to the same cervid waste disposal requirements as cervid meat processors and taxidermists.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Tourism & Outdoor Recreation (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 19, 2020

HB370 (BR427)/CI/LM - N. Tate, R. Goforth, D. Hale, K. King, J. Miller

AN ACT relating to the dignified treatment of fetal remains.
Create a new section of KRS 311.710 to 311.830 to require within 24 hours after a spontaneous miscarriage or abortion, a hospital or abortion provider to inform the parents about their right to determine the final disposition of the fetal remains; parents electing a disposition method other than the customary method for that facility are responsible for the costs of disposition; within ten days following a miscarriage or abortion, the abortion provider, hospital, or parent shall provide for final disposition of the fetal remains; establish a Class D felony for failing to appropriately dispose of fetal remains and a Class A misdemeanor for offering to pay for fetal remains; amend KRS 367.97501 to add fetal remains to the definition of "pathological waste."

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Feb 07, 2020 - posted in committee

HB371 (BR1185) - R. Bridges, D. Bentley, M. Dossett, J. Graviss, D. Hale, R. Heath, S. Heavrin, J. Miller, P. Minter, R. Palumbo, P. Pratt, R. Rothenburger, S. Santoro

AN ACT relating to tax credits.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 198A to establish the nonrefundable Kentucky affordable housing credit; allow the credit to be applied to the income and insurance taxes, in an amount equal to the amount of federal low-income housing tax credit; create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to allow the credit to be applied to income and limited liability entity taxes; amend KRS 141.0205 to order the income tax credit; create new sections of KRS Chapter 136 to allow the credit to be applied to insurance tax; order the insurance tax credits; amend KRS 131.190 to conform.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB372 (BR1336) - D. Bentley, K. Bratcher, D. Elliott, R. Meeks, M. Meredith, S. Riley, B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to the taxation of incontinence products.
Amend KRS 139.472 to exempt prescription incontinence products when sold to a person with a medical diagnosis of incontinence and a prescription for the product; amend KRS 139.190 to allow the Department of Revenue to report the exemption to the Legislative Research Commission by October 1 each year; EFFECTIVE August 1, 2020.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB373 (BR1554) - R. Wiederstein

AN ACT relating to health care to provide for an all-payer claims database and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to require the commissioner of the Department of Insurance to establish an advisory committee to make recommendations regarding the creation of a Kentucky all-payer claims database; establish the Kentucky all-payer claims database fund; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB374 (BR1098) - J. Nemes

AN ACT relating to rest periods and collective bargaining agreements and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 337.365 to include language exempting collective bargaining break waivers from existing Kentucky break requirements; EMERGENCY.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB375 (BR592)/LM - M. Hart, J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to reorganization.
Amend KRS 95A.020 to define "chief fire officer"; change the name of the Commission on Fire Protection Personnel Standards and Education to the Kentucky Fire Commission; attach the commission to the Kentucky Community and Technical College System for administrative purposes; require the commission to have male, female, and minority representation; require that no more than three appointed members reside in the same congressional district; reduce the number of members from 17 to 14; change the qualifications for certain members appointed to the commission by the Governor; amend various sections to conform.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)

HB376 (BR1470) - J. Graviss, T. Bojanowski, R. Palumbo

AN ACT relating to sales and use taxes.
Amend KRS 139.200 to exempt small animal veterinary services after October 1, 2020; amend KRS 139.470 to exempt pet adoption fees and to require reporting of the exemption; amend KRS 131.190 to authorize the Department of Revenue to share information pertaining to adoption fees with the Legislative Research Commission; EFFECTIVE August 1, 2020.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB377 (BR1484) - A. Bowling, D. Lewis

AN ACT relating to special purpose governmental entities.
Amend KRS 65A.020 to allow the Department for Local Government (DLG) to exclude certain revenues received by special purpose governmental entities that are public use airports in determining the annual fee due from those entities; amend KRS 65A.030 to allow the DLG to exclude certain receipts received by special purpose governmental entities that are public use airports in determining the requirements relating to audits and financial statements of those entities.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Feb 07, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 12, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 13, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 14, 2020
Feb 18, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 92-0
Feb 19, 2020 - received in Senate

HB378 (BR995) - W. Thomas

AN ACT relating to motor vehicle titles.
Amend KRS 186A.520 to provide that a county clerk's reliance on salvage title application relieves county clerk from liability.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HB379 (BR805) - W. Thomas, L. Bechler

AN ACT relating to electronic advertising.
Create a new section of KRS 177.830 to 177.890 to allow electronic advertising devices located on the premises of a business or organization to advertise or promote activities and products offered both on the property and by charitable nonprofit organizations or groups; require content advertised to comply with state and federal statutes and regulations; allow nonprofit content to be displayed at the discretion of the electronic advertising device owner; prohibit the advertising of outside content if the business or organization has ceased operation; amend KRS 177.841 to conform.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HB380 (BR1505) - J. Nemes

AN ACT relating to the voluntary environmental remediation tax credit.
Amend KRS 141.418 to expand the voluntary environmental remediation tax credit for taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 2020, but before January 1, 2024, and to allow a refundable credit for these taxable years; amend KRS 141.0205 to order the refundable credit; amend KRS 131.190 to require reporting.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB381 (BR1277) - J. Donohue

AN ACT relating to school safety and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 158 to establish the school resource officer and school counselor fund; amend KRS 132.020 to create a property tax to be collected and deposited into the school resource officer and school counselor fund; amend KRS 154.30-010 to conform; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB382 (BR1558) - S. Santoro

AN ACT relating to the operation of golf carts.
Amend KRS 189.286 to remove time of operation restrictions for golf carts operating on city and county roads where allowed by local governments.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Transportation (H); posted in committee
Feb 11, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 12, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 13, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, February 14, 2020
Feb 19, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 82-13

HB383 (BR1432) - K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, J. Graviss, J. Miller

AN ACT relating to CPA licensure.
Amend KRS 325.240 to give the State Board of Accountancy the authority to establish a scholarship program; grant the board immunity from being sued when members act in good faith; amend KRS 325.280 to allow CPAs from other states who did not obtain a license in their home state within five years of passing the CPA exam to get a Kentucky license.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB384 (BR1575)/LM - A. Koenig, J. Jenkins

AN ACT relating to local government.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 70 detailing the powers and duties of constables, excluding the general powers of peace or police officers, with certain exceptions; allow police powers where the county grants them and the constable or deputy has been certified pursuant to KRS 15.380, so long as that certification is maintained; amend KRS 15.707 deleting constables; amend KRS 16.060 deleting constables; amend KRS 61.300 deleting deputy constables; amend KRS 61.310 deleting deputy constables; amend KRS 63.170 by adding constables; amend KRS 63.180 by adding deputy constables; amend KRS 64.060 to remove noncertified constables from the fee schedule for services and allow certified constables to continue to receive fees per the schedule; amend KRS 64.190 to amend constable fee schedule; amend KRS 64.200 to exclude urban-county governments from constable compensation requirements and include deputy constables within reporting requirements; amend KRS 70.310 to require deputy constables to execute bond; amend KRS 70.320 to allow the appointment of deputy constables; specify how they are appointed and their numbers determined, and their qualifications; amend KRS 70.350 to specify where constables may execute warrants; amend KRS 70.410 to include deputy constables; amend KRS 70.430 to specify the nature and recipient of constable and deputy constable's reports; grant fiscal courts or county clerks and merged governments the authority to retain 25% of fees collected; amend KRS 70.440 to include mandated reports within false reporting prohibitions; amend KRS 148.056 to remove constables; amend KRS 150.100 to remove constables; amend KRS 164.955 to specify that powers of constables are not being diluted or removed; amend KRS 183.881 to specify that constable powers are not impaired or diminished; amend KRS 189.950 to permit vehicle blue lights for constables if the county grants them the authority and if they are certified as peace officers; amend KRS 230.240 to remove constables; amend KRS 277.280 to remove constables; amend KRS 281.765 to remove constables and deputies; amend KRS 446.010 to remove constables from definition of "peace officers"; amend KRS 454.140 to direct service of process first to sheriffs; exclude urban-county and consolidated local governments from this requirement, unless they pass ordinances granting the sheriff priority.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Feb 13, 2020 - posted in committee

HB385 (BR1581) - J. Sims Jr

AN ACT relating to vision examinations.

Amend KRS 156.160 to require a conclusive vision examination upon a child's initial enrollment in kindergarten and a vision examination upon a child's initial enrollment in a public preschool program, a Head Start program or grade six.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB386 (BR1532) - S. Lewis, R. Huff, C. Massey, S. Riley, R. Rothenburger, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to ambulance contracts.

Amend KRS 65.710 to increase the time limit from 1 year to 4 years that local governments may contract for ambulance services with private persons, partnerships, or corporations.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Feb 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 19, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

HB387 (BR1589)/FN - D. Bentley, D. Osborne, T. Branham Clark, D. Hale, M. Hart, K. King, D. Lewis, S. Sheldon

AN ACT relating to the rural hospital operations and facilities revolving loan fund and making an appropriation therefor.

Create a new section of Subchapter 20 of KRS Chapter 154 to establish the rural hospital operations and facilities revolving loan fund; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Feb 14, 2020 - posted in committee

HB388 (BR1371)/LM - K. Bratcher

AN ACT relating to elections and declaring an emergency.

Amend KRS 117.035 to adjust the time of appointment for members of county boards of elections; amend KRS 117.045 to provide the method of appointment of precinct election officers and designate who may qualify to serve as a precinct election officer; amend KRS 117.066 to provide procedures for voting at a location containing more than one precinct and for the consolidation of precinct election officers; amend KRS 117.087 to provide for the verification of submitted mail-in absentee ballots beginning on the day before the election in preparation for counting the ballots on election day; amend KRS 117.085 and 117.086 to conform; EMERGENCY.

HB388 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1/LM - Retain original provisions; amend KRS 117.085 to provide address to which a mail-in absentee ballot is to be sent; amend 117.145 to change the time for the printing of ballots for a special election from 15 days to 45 days; amend 117.167 to make the county attorney's attendance at training sessions for election officials discretionary and permit the county attorney to designate an alternate to attend if desired; EMERGENCY.
HFA1(K. Bratcher) - Make technical correction.
HFA2(K. Bratcher) - Make technical correction.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, February 19, 2020; floor amendment (1) filed to Committee Substitute
Feb 19, 2020 - floor amendment (2) filed to Committee Substitute ; floor amendment (1) withdrawn

HB389 (BR312) - K. Moser

AN ACT relating to utilization reviews.

Amend KRS 304.17A-611 to prohibit insurers from requiring or using certain utilization reviews for certain prescription drugs used to treat alcohol or opioid use disorder; amend KRS 205.536 to prohibit the Department for Medicaid Services or a Medicaid- managed care organization from requiring or using certain utilization reviews for certain prescription drugs used to treat alcohol or opioid use disorder; effective January 1, 2021.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)
Feb 18, 2020 - posted in committee

HB390 (BR1539) - S. Heavrin, D. Meade

AN ACT related to adoption leave.

Amend KRS 337.015 to require employers provide the same leave policies to adoptive parents as they provide to birth parents; change the applicable age of an adoptive child from seven to ten; create an exemption for specified categories of adoption.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)
Feb 14, 2020 - posted in committee

HB391 (BR1569) - S. Lee, J. Fischer, K. King, N. Tate

AN ACT relating to the reporting of abortion related information to the Vital Statistics Branch.

Amend KRS 213.101, relating to abortion reporting requirements, to allow the Auditor of Public Accounts to perform an annual audit.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB392 (BR1440) - W. Thomas, B. Reed, D. Hale, K. King

AN ACT relating to the legislative branch of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Amend KRS 6.160 to require the chief clerk of each chamber to ensure that the phrase "the year of our Lord" is in the date of each citation, resolution, and daily journal; amend KRS 6.161 to require each chamber's journal to include "the year of our Lord" in the date; amend KRS 7.100 to require the Legislative Research Commission to include the words "the year of our Lord" in the date of all citations, resolutions, and daily journals.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB393 (BR1368) - J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to dual credit scholarships.

Amend KRS 164.786 to increase the dual credit tuition rate ceiling amount; add two career and technical education courses per year to the Dual Credit Scholarship; amend KRS 164.787 to delete the dual credit provisions from the Work Ready Scholarship.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB394 (BR1184)/LM - D. Elliott, J. Graviss, K. King

AN ACT relating to playgrounds.

Amend KRS 97.010 to require certain local government playground projects to include wheelchair access ramps, wheelchair-friendly surfaces and at least one (1) wheelchair swing, except where the contract for a playground project was signed prior to the effective date of this Act and for playground projects wholly using private funds.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Feb 13, 2020 - posted in committee

HB395 (BR57)/LM - D. Elliott, J. Petrie

AN ACT relating to guardians ad litem and other court-appointed counsel and making an appropriation therefor.

Amend various KRS sections to provide that guardians ad litem and court-appointed counsel shall receive a fee not to exceed $500 and to specify the payors of those fees; amend KRS 625.0405, 625.041, and 625.080 to provide that the appointment of guardians ad litem and court-appointed counsel for voluntary or involuntary termination of parental rights proceedings shall solely be for representation at the trial level and shall not extend to the filing of an appeal nor to the appeal process thereafter.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Feb 13, 2020 - posted in committee

HB396 (BR1414) - C. Booker, L. Willner

AN ACT relating to superintendent screening committees.

Amend KRS 160.352 to require greater minority representation on a screening committee in a school district with a student minority population of 50% or greater.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB397 (BR438) - J. Nemes, K. Bratcher, J. Blanton, A. Bowling, R. Brenda, M. Dossett, D. Elliott, R. Goforth, T. Huff, J. Sims Jr

AN ACT relating to worker fairness in the construction industry.

Create new sections of KRS Chapter 337 to provide definitions; set forth determination of misclassified workers; set forth investigation process and

violations; establish court remedies; require notice by an employer; grant the commissioner of the Department of Workplace Standards authority to promulgate administrative regulations; require agencies to share the information of a misclassifying employer to other interested state agencies; amend KRS 337.990 to establish penalties for violations; amend KRS 45A.145 to prohibit contractors with multiple violations from contracting with the state for five years; amend KRS 131.190 to require the Department of Revenue to provide copies of orders to three other state agencies; create a new section of KRS Chapter 341 to require the Office of Unemployment Insurance to provide copies of orders to three other state agencies; create a new section of KRS Chapter 342 to require the commissioner of the Department of Workers' Claims to provide copies to three other state agencies; state that certain sections of the bill may be cited as the Kentucky Workers Fairness Act; Sections 1 to 13, 15, and 16 EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Economic Development & Workforce Investment (H)

HB398 (BR42)/HM - S. Sheldon, D. Bentley, K. Banta, J. Blanton, A. Bowling, R. Brenda, R. Bridges, D. Frazier, C. Freeland, C. Fugate, R. Goforth, S. Heavrin, R. Huff, T. Huff, M. Koch, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, B. McCool, M. Meredith, J. Nemes, P. Pratt, B. Reed, S. Riley, S. Rudy, S. Santoro, N. Tate, W. Thomas, R. Webber, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to pharmacy or pharmacist services.

Create a new section of Subtitle 17A, KRS Chapter 304 to define "health plan," "insurer," "pharmacy benefit manager," and "pharmacy or pharmacist services"; provide exceptions for federal laws that conflict with legislation; require Cabinet for Health and Family Services to take any steps necessary to effectuate legislation; amend KRS 304.17A-164 to define "pharmacy affiliate"; prohibit insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, and other administrators of pharmacy benefits from imposing certain requirements on patients covered under a health plan; create new sections of KRS 304.17A-165 to 304.17A-166 to require insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, and other administrators of pharmacy benefits to establish reasonably adequate and accessible pharmacy networks; require insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, and other administrators of pharmacy benefits to file an annual report describing their pharmacy networks with the insurance commissioner; require the insurance commissioner to review each report to ensure networks are reasonably adequate and accessible; provide that the insurance commissioner may review and approve the compensation programs for pharmacy or pharmacist services of insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, and other administrators of pharmacy benefits; provide that all information and data acquired by the Department of Insurance shall be considered proprietary and not subject to disclosure under KRS 61.870 to 61.884; define "actual overpayment"; establish requirements for contracts between a pharmacy or pharmacist and an insurer, pharmacy benefit manager, or other administrator of pharmacy benefits for the provision of pharmacy or pharmacist services in this state; require contracts to prohibit insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, and other administrators of pharmacy benefits from engaging in certain payment and other practices relating to the provision of pharmacy or pharmacist services; establish certain requirements for insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, and other administrators of pharmacy benefits receiving offers or applications to contract for the provision of pharmacy or pharmacist services in this state; define "rebate" and "spread pricing"; establish certain requirements for insurers contracting with pharmacy benefit managers and other administrators of pharmacy benefits; prohibit pharmacy benefit managers and other administrators of pharmacy benefits from engaging in spread pricing in this state; require pharmacy benefit managers and other administrators of pharmacy benefits to report to the insurance commissioner, on a quarterly basis, rebates and amounts paid for pharmacy or pharmacist services; provide that certain information and data acquired by the Department of Insurance shall be considered proprietary and not subject to disclosure under KRS 61.870 to 61.884; provide that the insurance commissioner may promulgate administrative regulations establishing prohibited practices of pharmacy benefit managers and other administrators of pharmacy benefits; create a new section of Subtitle 17A, KRS Chapter 304, to establish a Pharmacy Benefits Management Advisory Council; establish duties, membership, and procedural requirements for the council; amend KRS 304.17A-005 to add pharmacy to the definition of "health care provider"; amend KRS 304.17A-708, 304.17A-712, and 304.17A-714 to conform; amend KRS 304.17A-515 to establish network adequacy requirements for pharmacy services covered under a managed care plan; create a new section of Subtitle 17C, KRS Chapter 304, and amend KRS 304.17C-040 to apply provisions of legislation to limited health service benefit plans, including limited health service contracts; create a new section of Subtitle 38A, KRS Chapter 304, to apply provisions of legislation to limited health service organizations; amend KRS 205.522 and KRS 205.532 to require Medicaid entities to comply with provisions of legislation; amend KRS 205.647 to establish compliance and reporting requirements for pharmacy benefit managers administering Medicaid benefits; to establish requirement that Medicaid managed care organizations and pharmacy benefit managers shall not require pharmacies to participate with a Medicaid program in order to participate with non-Medicaid programs; to establish civil penalties for failure to comply with section; amend KRS 18A.2259 and 18A.225 to require the state employee health plan to comply with provisions of legislation; provide that provisions of this Act shall be severable; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB399 (BR35) - S. Sheldon, D. Bentley, K. Banta, J. Blanton, A. Bowling, R. Brenda, R. Bridges, D. Frazier, C. Freeland, C. Fugate, R. Goforth, S. Heavrin, R. Huff, T. Huff, M. Koch, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, B. McCool, M. Meredith, J. Nemes, P. Pratt, B. Reed, S. Riley, S. Rudy, S. Santoro, N. Tate, W. Thomas, R. Webber, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to pharmacy audits.

Amend KRS 304.17A-740 to insert and amend definitions; provide exceptions to pharmacy audit laws; require Cabinet for Health and Family Services to take any steps necessary to effectuate legislation; amend KRS 304.17A-741 to require auditing entities to provide at least 90 days' notice for on-site audits; require that notices provide detailed information about each claim being audited; require that audits involving clinical or professional judgment be conducted in consultation with Kentucky-licensed pharmacists; require that audits involving compounded medication be conducted in consultation with Kentucky-licensed pharmacists trained to compound in compliance with state and federal law and regulations; establish information that may be requested by an auditing entity from a pharmacy; provide that certain information shall not be requested, obtained, or used during an audit; prohibit auditing entities from seeking a recoupment or refund in certain circumstances; require that a preliminary audit report be delivered to a pharmacy within 90 days after the conclusion of a desk audit; prohibit auditing entities from charging a pharmacy any fees for or relating to an audit; provide for how appeals shall be conducted; establish a safe harbor for an auditing entity's confirmation of a pharmacy's receipt of notice or a request; amend KRS 304.17A-743 to require auditing entities to establish an external appeals process for pharmacy audits; require external appeals for audits other than those conducted by or on behalf of a managed care organization providing services under KRS Chapter 205 to be conducted by an independent review entity certified by the Department of Insurance; require external appeals for audits conducted by or on behalf of a managed care organization providing services under KRS Chapter 205 to be conducted by an independent third party pursuant to administrative regulations promulgated by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services; establish notice requirements for external appeals; prohibit auditing entities from charging interest on disputed funds until all appeals are final; establish requirements for pharmacies requesting an appeal; establish procedures for external appeals of audits other than those conducted by or on behalf of a managed care organization providing services under KRS Chapter 205; establish information that shall be considered by an independent review entity or third party in making an external appeal determination; establish information upon which the independent review entity or third party shall base its external appeal determination; establish requirements for the external appeal determination; establish that determination of independent review entity shall be binding on the auditing entity; provide appeal to Cabinet for Health and Family Services for external appeal determinations of an independent third party; establish appeal procedures and requirements for appeal to Cabinet for Health and Family Services; establish penalties for auditing entities that fail to comply with a final determination issued in accordance with section; provide that an independent review entity or third party or any specialist the entity or third party utilizes shall not be liable for civil damages in certain circumstances; provide that appeals shall be confidential and not subject to the Open Records Act; amend KRS 304.17A-627 to establish conflict of interest requirements for external pharmacy audit appeals conducted by an independent review entity; establish reporting requirements for independent review entities conducting external pharmacy audit appeals; amend KRS 304.17A-633 to require reporting by the Department of Insurance and the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to the Interim Joint Committee on Banking and Insurance and to the Governor on external pharmacy audit appeals; amend KRS 304.17A-708, 304.17A-712, and 304.17A-714 to conform; create a new section of Subtitle 38A of KRS Chapter 304 to require limited health service organizations to comply with Sections 1, 2, and 3 of the Act; repeal KRS 304.17A-745 and 304.17A-747; provide that Act applies to provider agreements or contracts issued, delivered, entered, renewed, extended, or amended on or after the effective date of Act; provide that provisions of the Act shall be severable; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB400 (BR90) - S. Sheldon, D. Bentley, K. Banta, J. Blanton, A. Bowling, R. Brenda, R. Bridges, D. Frazier, C. Freeland, C. Fugate, R. Goforth, S. Heavrin, R. Huff, T. Huff, M. Koch, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, B. McCool, M. Meredith, J. Nemes, P. Pratt, B. Reed, S. Riley, S. Rudy, S. Santoro, N. Tate, W. Thomas, R. Webber, L. Yates

AN ACT relating to pharmacy referral practices.

Create a new section of KRS 304.17A-165 to 304.17A-166 to define "insurer," "pharmacy affiliate," "pharmacy benefit manager," "pharmacy or pharmacist services," and "referral to a pharmacy affiliate"; require insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, and other administrators of pharmacy benefits to file an annual disclosure statement with the insurance commissioner that identifies pharmacy affiliates; prohibit insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, and other administrators of pharmacy benefits from transferring or sharing certain Kentucky pharmacy records with a pharmacy affiliate for any commercial purpose; prohibit insurers, pharmacy benefit managers, and other administrators of pharmacy benefits from making certain referrals to a pharmacy affiliate; establish exceptions to prohibitions established in section;

require Cabinet for Health and Family Services to take any steps necessary to effectuate legislation; amend KRS 304.9-440 to subject pharmacy benefit managers to licensure sanctions for violating provisions of legislation; create a new section of KRS Chapter 315 to define "affiliate" and "affiliate referral"; prohibit pharmacies holding a permit provided for under the chapter from transferring or sharing certain Kentucky pharmacy records with an affiliate for any commercial purpose; prohibit pharmacies holding a permit provided for under the chapter from presenting, causing to be presented, or collecting payment on a claim or bill for pharmacy or pharmacist services that the pharmacy knows or should know were furnished pursuant to an affiliate referral; establish exceptions to prohibitions established in section; amend KRS 205.522 to require the Department for Medicaid Services and any managed care organization contracted to provide Medicaid benefits to comply with applicable provisions; amend KRS 18A.2259 and 18A.225 to require the state employee health plan to comply; state that provisions of contracts issued, delivered, entered, renewed, extended, or amended on or after the effective date of Act that are contrary to Act shall be unenforceable and void; state that provisions of this Act shall be severable; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB401 (BR1473)/AA - J. Miller

AN ACT relating to the Teachers' Retirement System.

Create a new section of KRS 161.220 to 161.716 to permit the Teachers' Retirement System (TRS) to use and accept electronic signatures as deemed appropriate; amend KRS 161.290 to require all public employers to grant paid leave to teacher trustees serving on the TRS board; amend KRS 161.310 to specify the types of remuneration included in retirement incentives and that costs billed to employers for retirement incentives shall not be an obligation of the state; provide that retirement incentives shall not increase final average salary or annual compensation; amend KRS 161.340 to add insurance to the items for which TRS may contract and delete requirement for the procurement of fiduciary bonds for board trustees and executive secretary and add that the board may expend funds as necessary for indemnification and self-insurance; amend KRS 161.470 to make technical corrections; amend KRS 161.480 to automatically designate a TRS member's spouse as beneficiary for an active member's account balance upon employment until changed by the member; declare the member's spouse as beneficiary of the active member's account balance in the event all named beneficiaries predecease the active member or the member fails to designate a beneficiary; amend KRS 161.500 to specifically address service credit for contracts exceeding 185 days; amend KRS 161.515 to reference new retirement factors for out-of-state service purchases; amend KRS 161.540 to specify eligibility requirements for including annual leave credit in the retirement calculation for calendar-year contracts; amend KRS 161.545 to provide that full-time sabbatical leave by university staff participating in the TRS shall be deemed full-time employment for retirement purposes; require employee and employer contributions to be paid during the period of sabbatical leave; amend KRS 161.553 to adjust the cost schedules of providing statutory benefit improvements for annuitants; amend KRS 161.560 to adjust the methods by which participating employers shall file contribution data and set penalties for noncompliance that TRS may impose; amend KRS 161.597 to require a refund of prior installment payments and a reduction in service credit for a member in default on installment payments; amend KRS 161.614 to include mediation awards to a method that may be binding for the adjustment of a member's account; amend KRS 161.620 to make technical amendments; amend KRS 161.630 to make technical changes; amend KRS 161.643 to authorize TRS to require more frequent submission of annual reports on reemployed employees by participating employers; amend KRS 161.650 to automatically designate a TRS member's spouse as beneficiary for a retired member's remaining account balance at the time of death unless changed by the member; declare the member's spouse as beneficiary of the retired member's remaining account balance in the event all named beneficiaries predecease the retired member or the member fails to name a beneficiary for the account balance; amend KRS 161.655 to automatically designate a TRS member's spouse as beneficiary for the life insurance benefit available to active and retired members unless changed by the member; declare the member's spouse as beneficiary of the life insurance benefit available to active and retired members if, upon the death of the member, all named beneficiaries predecease the member or the member fails to name a beneficiary; and amend KRS 161.680 to provide detail describing the system's authority to collect overpayments.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee

HB402 (BR1290)/AA - J. Miller

AN ACT relating to the Teachers' Retirement System and declaring an emergency.

Amend KRS 161.605 to provide that breaks in service are required before returning to work for the employer even if in a position not covered by the Teachers' Retirement System (TRS); begin running of breaks in service from date of retirement; prohibit prearranged agreements between a retiring member and employer for member to return to work after retirement and require certification thereof; require retired members returning to work for state-supported universities and community colleges to comply with the separation-from-service requirements; amend KRS 161.612 to reduce the $500 minimum monthly disability benefit by benefit payments from all state-administered retirement systems for part-time employees and substitute teachers participating in the TRS who apply for disability benefits on or after July 1, 2020, and provide that part-time employees and substitute teachers are not eligible to apply for a disability retirement allowance if they are eligible for an unreduced retirement benefit; amend KRS 161.661 to provide that members who begin participating on or after July 1, 2020, shall not be eligible for a disability benefit if they are eligible for any unreduced benefit and that they shall have their $500 minimum monthly disability benefit reduced by benefit payments from all state-administered retirement systems; make conforming and technical changes; EMERGENCY.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 19, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 20, 2020

HB403 (BR1480) - J. Gooch Jr.

AN ACT relating to voluntary energy cost assistance funds.

Amend KRS 278.287 to change the eligibility threshold for participation in a voluntary energy cost assistance fund from 110% of the federal poverty guidelines to the percentage of the federal poverty guidelines required for eligibility in the subsidy component of the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP).

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee

HB404 (BR1510)/LM - B. Wheatley, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson

AN ACT relating to polling places.

Amend KRS 117.065 to require notices of polling place change to give at least 14 days' notice and to indicate whether the change is permanent or for a specific time period or election.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB405 (BR1271)/LM - J. Nemes, D. Lewis

AN ACT proposing to amend Sections 97, 99, 119, and 122 of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to terms of Constitutional offices.

Propose to amend Sections 97, 99, 119, and 122 of the Constitution of Kentucky to increase the term of office for Circuit Court Clerks and Commonwealth's Attorneys from six years to eight years beginning in 2024; increase the term of office for county attorneys and district judges from four years to eight years beginning in 2022; exempt any person serving as a District Judge on the effective date of the Act from the eight-year licensure requirement; provide ballot language; submit to voters for ratification or rejection.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB406 (BR1614) - D. Lewis

AN ACT relating to alcohol and drug counselors.

Amend KRS 309.083 to require applicants for certification as an alcohol and drug counselor to meet all educational and supervision requirements of the International Certification and Reciprocity Consortium for the Alcohol and Drug Counselor; amend KRS 309.0832 to require applicants for licensure as a clinical alcohol and drug counselor to meet all educational and supervision requirements of the international Certification and Reciprocity Consortium for the Advanced Alcohol and Drug Counselor; amend KRS 309.0833 to conform.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)

HB407 (BR1587) - M. Meredith

AN ACT relating to radon testing and mitigation and making an appropriation therefor.

Create a new section of KRS 199.892 to 199.8996 to require licensed child-care centers to be tested for radon at least once every five years as part of their initial licensure and license renewal; require the most current report to be posted in a public place within the child-care center; amend KRS 211.9105 to establish new duties for the Radon Program Advisory Committee related to financial assistance for child-care centers and schools for radon testing and mitigation; amend KRS 211.9113 to require an insurance policy for a radon laboratory; amend KRS 211.9125 to establish when an administrative hearing is conducted related to radon testing and mitigation providers; amend KRS 211.9131 to specify licensure requirements for a radon laboratory; amend KRS 211.9133 to include grants and state and federal moneys as a part of the radon mitigation and control fund; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HB408 (BR1030)/AA - J. Nemes

AN ACT relating to Kentucky investments by public pension funds.

Amend KRS 16.642, 61.650, 78.790, and 161.430, to establish a goal for the Kentucky Retirement Systems and the Teachers' Retirement System to invest at least 1.5% of fund assets in Kentucky private equity fund investments provided any such investment is consistent with the board's fiduciary responsibility and duties; define Kentucky private equity fund investments as an entity that

makes, manages, or sources potential investments in Kentucky businesses from individuals or institutional investors; establish requirements for the systems to notify the business community of potential investment opportunity with the systems; require reporting to the Legislative Research Commission on progress toward the goal of investment system assets in Kentucky private equity funds.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB409 (BR1238) - B. McCool

AN ACT relating to peace officer professional certification.
Amend KRS 15.400, relating to peace officer professional certification, to extend the time from 100 days to 5 years that a certified peace officer may separate from the original employer at the time and secure another peace officer position without losing his or her certification status, and prohibit law enforcement agencies from using the fact that a candidate for a law enforcement position is certified as a factor for an employment decision as long as the person remains certified.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)

HB410 (BR1193)/CI/LM - D. Frazier, J. Petrie, J. Nemes, J. Sims Jr

AN ACT relating to crimes and punishments.
Amend KRS 431.066, relating to pretrial release and bail options, to define "administratively released," "danger to others," and "financial condition of release"; require pretrial services to provide a defendant's juvenile court history when the defendant is 23 or under; require pretrial services, if requested by the court, to provide the defendant's juvenile court history when the defendant is over 23; specify that a court may impose a financial condition of release if the court finds by a preponderance of the evidence that the defendant constitutes a risk of failing to appear or danger to others; provide that a defendant is not eligible for bail credits if the court finds by clear and convincing evidence that the defendant constitutes a risk of failing to appear or danger to others; amend KRS 431.520, relating to conditions of release, to conform and to outline the hearing process for when a person continues to be detained as a result of his or her inability to meet a financial condition of release; amend KRS 218A.135, 222.204, 431.525, and 610.340 to conform; amend KRS 67.372 and 431.517 to require counties to pay global positioning monitoring system fees for those on pretrial release who are at or below 200% of the federal poverty guidelines; repeal KRS 431.540, relating to a schedule of bail amounts.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Feb 13, 2020 - posted in committee

HB411 (BR56) - R. Bridges, J. Petrie

AN ACT relating to security interests.
Amend KRS 186A.120, regarding notation of security interest on a certificate of title, to establish that the county of residence designated by the debtor shall be relied upon in the titling process and that reliance shall relieve motor vehicle dealers, assignee lenders, secured parties, and county clerks from liability from third parties; establish when a security interest is deemed to be perfected; amend KRS 186A.195 and 186A.200 to conform.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HB412 (BR1306)/AA/LM - J. Blanton, C. Fugate, S. Santoro

AN ACT relating to duty-related disability benefits and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 16.582 and 61.621 to increase minimum total and permanent in line of duty or duty-related disability benefits payable to a member of any of the systems administered by the Kentucky Retirement Systems from 25% to 75% of the member's monthly average pay; amend KRS 16.505, 61.510, and 78.510 to define "monthly average pay" as it relates to total and permanent line of duty and duty-related disability benefits; amend KRS 16.505 to amend the definition of "dependent child" as it relates to total and permanent line of duty or duty-related disability; amend KRS 61.702 to ensure full hospital and medical insurance benefits for the member, spouse, and dependents of a member who has a total and permanent in line of duty or duty-related disability; provide for prospective adjustments in benefits for those eligible members who were totally and permanently disabled in line of duty or due to a duty-related injury; EMERGENCY.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB413 (BR164) - J. Tipton, J. Petrie, T. Bojanowski, J. Graviss, M. Sorolis

AN ACT relating to tax expenditures.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 7A to establish the Tax Expenditure Oversight Board; amend KRS 11.068 to require the annual production of a detailed estimate of the revenue loss resulting from each tax expenditure from the general fund and road fund; amend KRS 131.020 to require the Department of Revenue to collect, report, and provide data to the Tax Expenditure Oversight Board; amend KRS 131.190 to exempt the data provided by the Department of Revenue from the confidentiality standards for tax return data.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB414 (BR1627) - K. Bratcher

AN ACT relating to the use of automated calling equipment.
Amend KRS 367.461 to allow automatic calling equipment to place calls, with recorded messages or artificial voices, to publicly available phone numbers of businesses.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 13, 2020 - to Small Business & Information Technology (H)

HB415 (BR191)/LM - A. Koenig, C. McCoy, K. Bratcher, T. Huff

AN ACT relating to alcoholic beverages and making an appropriation therefor.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 243, relating to alcoholic beverage licensing, to require out-of-state licensees that are not licensed in Kentucky to hold the newly created shipping permit before transporting alcoholic beverages from another state to a consumer in Kentucky; limit these shipments to only those conducted through a licensed common carrier; establish rules and requirements to hold a shipping permit; instruct the Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) to promulgate administrative regulations to reduce unlicensed deliveries and shipments; require shipping permit holders to submit a monthly report to the ABC department and the Department of Revenue that gives shipping totals and the names and addresses of each consumer and common carrier; impose an administrative and enforcement fee payable to the Department of Revenue for out-of-state shipment to a Kentucky consumer; make the fee 15 percent of the gross receipts derived from the shipment sales; deposit the fees in the general fund; amend KRS 241.010 to define "deliver" as transporting within the state of Kentucky and "ship" as transporting from one state to another; define "consumer" as a person of lawful drinking age and territory who does not hold an alcohol license and who purchases alcoholic beverages for personal consumption only; redefine "retail sale" to include in-person, electronic, online, or telephone transactions through shipment or delivery; authorize delivery or shipment to territories where the beverages may be lawfully sold or received; amend KRS 243.020 to allow an independent contractor of a licensee to conduct activities authorized under that license; amend KRS 243.030, 243.040, and 243.212 to merge all out-of-state supplier's licenses into one license; set the fees for an out-of-state supplier's license and a shipping permit; amend 243.0305, 243.120, 243.130, 243.150, 243.155, 243.157, 243.160, 243.170, 243.180, 243.240, 243.280, and 244.165 to permit delivery and shipment sales to a consumer; allow a microbrewery to deliver and ship under its microbrewery license rather than its package retail license; amend KRS 243.100 to strike licensee citizenship requirements; forbid a wholesaler from refusing to sell and offer reasonable service to another licensee during its normal business hours; amend KRS 243.200 to include malt beverages in a retailer's ability to transport alcoholic beverages from a wholesaler or distributor to the retailer's premises; allow a retailer to purchase alcoholic beverages from a wholesaler, distributor, or those licensees authorized to sell them; amend KRS 243.353 and 243.355 to prohibit sales to consumers under an alcoholic beverage storage license; amend KRS 243.500 to allow license suspension or revocation for failure to pay the enforcement and administrative fee on shipped alcoholic beverages; amend KRS 243.990 to make it a violation to disobey the shipping permit requirements; remove liability of a licensed common carrier or any of its employees on behalf of a consignor for delivering or shipping into areas where alcoholic beverages are not lawfully sold or received; remove the felony offense for out-of-state entities that ship alcoholic beverages into Kentucky; amend various sections of KRS Chapters 242 to 244 to conform; repeal KRS 243.215; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 13, 2020 - to Licensing, Occupations, & Admin Regs (H)
Feb 14, 2020 - posted in committee

HB416 (BR130) - L. Willner, A. Scott, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, T. Burch, J. Donohue, K. Flood, J. Glenn, D. Graham, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, R. Meeks, R. Meyer, C. Miller, P. Minter, R. Palumbo, J. Raymond, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley

AN ACT relating to taxation.
Amend KRS 132.020 to freeze the state property tax rate and eliminate the tax rate reduction for qualified heavy equipment; amend KRS 138.130 to define vapor products and include vapor products in the definition of tobacco products; amend KRS 138.140 to increase the tax on cigarettes, snuff, chewing tobacco, and tobacco products; and to remove the discount for modified risk tobacco products; amend KRS 138.143 to require a floor stock tax; amend KRS 138.510 to impose specific surtax amounts on horse racing wagers and to require the revenue generated from the surtaxes to be deposited into the general fund; amend KRS 139.010 to remove boat ramp fees from the list of fees not considered to be taxable admissions; amend KRS 139.200 to remove the tax on small animal veterinary services and to make other various services taxable; amend KRS 139.470 remove the exemption of gross receipts from the sale of semi-trailers and trailers and to include the new taxable services in the de minimis rule; amend KRS 139.480 to remove the exemption for various types of properties; amend KRS 140.130 to impose an estate tax; amend KRS 141.010 to define married and unmarried individuals and allow a single column return and a single calculation of adjusted gross income with differing thresholds for married and unmarried individuals; amend KRS 141.019 to require a dollar-for-dollar reduction to the retirement income exclusion and to limit the itemized deduction amount for all itemized deductions except for the charitable contribution deduction; amend KRS 141.020 to establish graduated tax rate brackets and a phase out based on income level; amend KRS 141.081 to increase the standard deduction; amend KRS 141.066 to expand the family size tax credit; amend KRS 141.040 to increase the tax rate to 7%; amend KRS 141.0401 to lower the threshold amounts for determining the tax amount owed; amend KRS 141.120 to reinstate the

three-factor apportionment formula and include a throw-back rule; amend KRS 141.039 to eliminate the deferred tax deduction; amend KRS 141.201 to sunset the election for consolidated reporting; amend KRS 141.202 to alter the filing requirement basis from waters-edge to world-wide; amend KRS 141.383 to reduce the annual cap; amend KRS 141.433 to sunset the new markets tax credit; amend KRS 142.303 to eliminate the cap on calculation of gross receipts; make conforming changes.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 14, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB417 (BR1437) - B. Rowland

AN ACT relating to credit for reinsurance.
Amend KRS 304.5-140 to define "reciprocal jurisdiction" and "covered agreement"; establish requirements for certain reinsurance arrangements; require the commissioner to publish a list of reciprocal jurisdictions and assuming insurers.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 14, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)
Feb 18, 2020 - posted in committee

HB418 (BR1272)/LM - J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to the registration of motorboats and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 235.040 to require motorboats documented with the Coast Guard to display an identifying number issued by federal law and a validation sticker issued by the Commonwealth of Kentucky, but not a Kentucky identification number; amend KRS 235.070 to require motorboats documented with the Coast Guard to submit a copy of the certificate of documentation with the application for registration; exempt from titling provisions; require registration with the Commonwealth; amend KRS 235.120 to require validation sticker be issued and displayed on motorboat's bow after recordation is complete; amend KRS 235.125 to require an owner of a motorboat documented with the Coast Guard to remove any number issued by the Commonwealth of Kentucky from the motorboat; require the validation sticker remain on the motorboat; amend KRS 235.210 to exempt a motorboat documented with the United States Coast Guard covered by an identifying number pursuant to federal law from being required to obtain an identifying number from the Commonwealth of Kentucky; require display of validation sticker; EMERGENCY.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 14, 2020 - to Tourism & Outdoor Recreation (H)

HB419 (BR1588) - B. McCool, J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to postsecondary transparency.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 164 to require the Council on Postsecondary Education to annually compile data on in-demand jobs within the state and for each public postsecondary instruction and each campus of the Kentucky Community and Technical College System compile data relating to student success and costs; require Council on Postsecondary Education to develop delivery method to ensure access to information by prospective students; authorize Council on Postsecondary Education to promulgate necessary administrative regulations; cite as the Students' Right to Know Act; EFFECTIVE July 1, 2021.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 14, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB420 (BR1028) - K. King

AN ACT relating to food safety.
Create new sections in Chapter 260 to direct the Department of Agriculture to implement the Food Safety Modernization Act; define terms, establish exemptions for covered produce and covered farms; authorize a department representative to enter a covered farm or farm eligible for inspection; authorize the department to promulgate administrative regulations; authorize a department representative to issue a stop movement order for covered produce; establish procedure before an appropriate court; establish violations; establish a civil penalty.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 14, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)

HB421 (BR1630) - K. Moser

AN ACT relating to the Advisory Council for Medical Assistance.
Amend KRS 205.540 to add one representative of a recognized consumer advocacy group representing persons reentering society following incarceration to the Advisory Council for Medical Assistance; amend KRS 205.590 to create a Technical Advisory Committee on Persons Returning to Society from Incarceration to act in an advisory capacity to the Advisory Council for Medical Assistance.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 14, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 18, 2020 - posted in committee

HB422 (BR459) - J. Petrie, J. Tipton

AN ACT relating to fiscal matters and declaring an emergency.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 6 to define "fiscal note" and "tax expenditure"; establish requirements for fiscal notes; allow the waiver of the fiscal note requirements; establish responsibilities of the Legislative Research Commission in regard to fiscal notes; create a new section of KRS Chapter 6 to require offsetting for bills and amendments with tax expenditures; amend KRS 11.068 to add the biennial tax expenditure analysis report to the Office of State Budget Director's job duties and set forth specific requirements; amend KRS 48.010 to define "tax expenditure"; amend KRS 48.110 to require a brief fiscal impact in recommendations and set forth specific requirements; require offsetting in recommendations with tax expenditures; amend various KRS statutes for technical corrections and conforming changes; EMERGENCY.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 14, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB423 (BR1299)/HM - S. Sheldon, D. Bentley, R. Bridges, D. Lewis, P. Minter

AN ACT relating to the cost of insulin.
Create a new section of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to define terms; prohibit certain conduct of health plans and pharmacy benefit managers related to the coverage of certified insulin; provide a process by which manufacturers may have an insulin product determined certified insulin; impose requirements on the commissioner relating to the certification of an insulin product; provide short title.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 14, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB424 (BR451)/CI/LM - C. Massey

AN ACT relating to crimes and punishments.
Amend KRS 194A.990, 205.8463, 238.995, 341.990, 434.650, 434.655, 434.690, 514.030, 514.040, 514.050, 514.060, 514.070, 514.080, 514.090, and 514.110 to increase the felony threshold for theft and fraud offenses to $1,000, create a Class B misdemeanor level for theft and fraud offenses of $1,000 or less, and allow for aggregation of offenses that occur within 180 days to determine the appropriate charge.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB425 (BR1091) - B. Rowland

AN ACT relating to peer-to-peer car sharing.
Create new sections of KRS Chapter 365 to establish definitions relating to peer-to-peer car sharing; establish insurance, disclosure, recordkeeping, verification, equipment liability, and airport contracting requirements for peer-to-peer car sharing programs; establish requirements for shared vehicle owners that receive an actual notice of safety recall on a shared vehicle; establish an exemption for peer-to-peer car sharing programs and shared vehicle owners from vicarious liability; create a new section of Subtitle 39 of KRS Chapter 304 to establish that insurers may exclude coverage for any claim afforded under a shared vehicle owner's motor vehicle or automobile liability insurance policy; establish certain requirements for insurers that issue policies covering shared vehicles; create a new section of Subtitle 14 of KRS Chapter 304 to provide peer-to-peer car sharing programs with an insurable interest in shared vehicles during the car sharing period; amend KRS 304.14-040, 304.14-060, and 186.630 to conform; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB426 (BR1725)/LM - P. Pratt

AN ACT relating to alcohol local regulatory licensing fees.
Amend KRS 243.075 to specify that any city or county other than a consolidated local government or an urban-county government may impose a regulatory licensing fee on alcohol, and create a two-year period for a city or county who would have been allowed to impose a fee to do so.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Local Government (H)

HB427 (BR1732) - K. Upchurch

AN ACT relating to special license plates and making an appropriation.
Amend KRS 186.162, regarding special license plates, to reiterate that the county clerk's fee charged is the standard clerk's fee for vehicle registration; establish extra fees for the firefighters special license plate to benefit the Kentucky Volunteer Firefighters Association; establish extra fee for the Masonic special license plate to benefit the Masonic Homes of Kentucky; set fees for special license plates established under KRS 186.164; eliminate the requirement for a special license plate for motorcycle to have 300 signatures; amend KRS 186.040 to conform; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HB428 (BR1585) - W. Thomas, R. Rothenburger, C. Massey

AN ACT relating to the Uniform Deployed Parents Custody and Visitation Act.
Establish KRS Chapter 403A and create new sections thereof to establish the Uniform Deployed Parents Custody and Visitation Act; amend KRS 403.280, 403.320, 403.340, 403.352, and 403.353 to conform.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)

HB429 (BR1269) - S. Riley

AN ACT relating to college readiness examinations.
Amend KRS 158.6453 to require a pre-college admissions exam to be administered in the fall of grade 10 instead of a college admissions exam; allow a student to retake the college admissions exam in the fall of grade 12; require the Kentucky Department of Education to pay for the cost of the pre-college exam and the optional college admissions exam in grade 12; amend KRS 158.6459 to conform.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Education (H)

HB430 (BR1102) - J. Fischer, J. Petrie

AN ACT relating to judgment liens.
Amend KRS 426.720 to require judgment lien notices to contain the date of final judgment; establish expiration dates for judgment liens; provide that a judgment lien expiration may be postponed under certain circumstances.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB431 (BR52)/LM - J. Fischer, J. Petrie

AN ACT relating to the priority of purchase money deeds of trusts or mortgages.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 382 to establish priority for purchase money deeds of trust and mortgages in certain instances; amend various statutes to conform; make technical corrections.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HB432 (BR1679) - S. Sheldon

AN ACT relating to the State Investment Commission.

Amend KRS 42.500 to remove the Governor as a member of the State Investment Commission; include the state controller as member of the State Investment Commission;

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HB433 (BR1302) - D. Frazier, J. Gooch Jr.

AN ACT relating to individuals with autism spectrum disorder.

Create a new section of KRS 186.400 to 186.640 to require the Department of Vehicle Regulation to make available for persons with an autism spectrum disorder an envelope that provides written information and guidance on enhancing communication with police officers and can contain the person's personal identification card or operator's license, motor vehicle registration, and motor vehicle insurance card.

Feb 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HB434 (BR1600) - K. Banta, T. Bojanowski

AN ACT relating to student mental health assessments and making an appropriation therefor.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 158 to require each school district to utilize a mental health assessment as needed for students and contract with a student mental health assessment provider; require the Kentucky Department of Education to disburse funds appropriated by the General Assembly to school districts for the contract cost subject to a maximum amount determined by the department; appropriate $4 million in each year of the 2020-2022 biennium; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HB435 (BR1512)/HM - S. Sheldon

AN ACT relating to treatment for Lyme disease.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 311 to permit a physician to provide long-term antibiotic therapy for a therapeutic purpose for a patient diagnosed with Lyme disease and not be subject to punishment by the State Board of Medical Licensure; require written information on laboratory testing for Lyme disease to be provided when a test is ordered; exempt physicians from civil liability for providing information; create a new section of Subtitle 17A of KRS Chapter 304 to require health benefit plan coverage of long-term antibiotic therapy for covered persons with Lyme disease under certain circumstances; EFFECTIVE January 1, 2021.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HB436 (BR1313)/LM - K. Banta

AN ACT relating to mental health and making an appropriation therefor.

Amend KRS 210.365 to make firefighters eligible for crisis intervention team training along with law enforcement officers currently permitted such training; amend KRS 95A.220 with an appropriation of $1,250,000 each fiscal year for treatment of full-time and volunteer firefighters affected by post-traumatic stress injury (PTSI) and/or post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD); allow no PTSD eligibility for disability retirement; declare legitimate personnel actions not compensable, diagnosis required by psychiatrist, psychologist or counselor; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HB437 (BR1773) - B. Rowland

AN ACT relating to insurance.

Amend KRS 304.48-080 to remove reference to executive director.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HB438 (BR1772) - B. Rowland

AN ACT relating to financial institutions.

Amend KRS 286.1-440 to include gender-neutral language.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HB439 (BR1641) - R. Rothenburger, J. Blanton

AN ACT relating to certificate of need for ambulance service providers.

Amend KRS 216B.020 to require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to promulgate administrative regulations establishing standards for a certificate of need for ambulance service providers.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HB440 (BR1791) - S. Riley, B. Rowland, J. Hoover, T. Turner, K. Upchurch

AN ACT relating to the renaming of the Louie B. Nunn Cumberland Parkway.

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to rename the Louie B. Nunn Cumberland Parkway the Louie B. Nunn Cumberland Expressway, and within 30 days of the effective date, change all highway signs and markings, and make all changes on maps, Web sites, databases, and official highway lists; amend KRS 189.390 to conform.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HB441 (BR1781) - J. Miller

AN ACT relating to state government.

Amend KRS 18A.035 to add gender-neutral language.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HB442 (BR1782) - J. Miller

AN ACT relating to state government.

Amend KRS 18A.060 to add gender-neutral language.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HB443 (BR59) - J. Petrie

AN ACT relating to public records.

Amend KRS 61.878, regarding public records to exclude from the Open Records Act client and case files maintained by the Department of Public Advocacy and the department's contractors.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HB444 (BR1771) - R. Heath

AN ACT relating to agriculture.

Amend KRS 246.285, relating to the Commissioner of Agriculture, to make gender-neutral references.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB445 (BR1677) - T. Burch

AN ACT relating to Medicare supplement insurance.

For Medicare supplement policies, amend KRS 304.14-520 to prohibit an insurer from denying the policy, or discriminating in price, based on the age, gender, health status, claims experience, receipt of health care, or medical condition of an applicant or a person covered under the policy; prohibit the policy from containing a waiting period or pre-existing condition limitation or exclusion; and require applications to be accepted, and policies issued, at all times throughout the year.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB446 (BR1479) - J. Gooch Jr.

AN ACT relating to water district commissioners.

Amend KRS 74.020 to change the limits on water district commissioners' annual salary to limits on their total annual compensation; allow the Public Service Commission to grant reasonable extensions of time for water district commissioners to complete their training requirements for good cause shown; amend KRS 74.363 to conform.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB447 (BR1623) - N. Tate

AN ACT relating to abandoned infants.

Amend KRS 405.075 to define and allow the use of a "newborn safety device" related to the anonymous surrendering of a newborn infant in the Commonwealth.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB448 (BR1743) - B. Rowland

AN ACT relating to payment of outstanding liabilities funded through assessments upon insurance premiums.

Amend KRS 342.120 to require the Division of Workers' Compensation Funds to engage in a program to resolve outstanding indemnity liabilities through lump-sum payments beginning January 1, 2021; amend KRS 342.122 to set the special fund assessment rate at no less than 6.29 percent; to cap funding for financing the expenditures for certain programs in the Labor Cabinet; and to reduce the assessment rate to 1 percent for funding the Labor Cabinet through the provisions of KRS 342.122 once the special fund balance has reached a balance sufficient to produce enough revenue to amortize the remaining claims and fund the operations of the Kentucky Workers' Compensation Funding Commission; amend KRS 342.1223 to require the Kentucky Workers' Compensation Funding Commission to produce and submit a biennial financial audit and management review to the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue by December 31 of odd-numbered years; amend KRS 342.1224 to change the membership of the Kentucky Workers' Compensation Funding Commission.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB449 (BR1212)/LM - M. Dossett

AN ACT relating to exemptions for disaster response businesses and employees.

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 141 to provide definitions of terms related to disaster or emergency-related work; amend KRS 141.020 to exempt disaster response employees and disaster response businesses from income tax beginning on or after January 1, 2020, and before January 1, 2024; amend KRS 141.040 to exempt disaster response businesses beginning on or after January 1, 2020, and before January 1, 2024; amend KRS 68.180, 68.197, 91.200, and 92.300 to exclude the income of a disaster response employee and a disaster response business from local tax; amend KRS 227.480 to exclude a disaster response business from certain permit requirements; amend KRS 227A.030 to exclude disaster response employees and disaster response businesses licensed in another state from certain licensing requirements; create a new section of KRS 67.750 to 67.790 to prevent these provisions from being construed as establishing a nexus or minimum contact for taxing purposes, except as related to disaster response business and employees for work performed during disaster response periods.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB450 (BR171) - R. Bridges

AN ACT relating to property taxes when the title of real property is transferred.

Amend KRS 132.220 to establish property tax liability requirements for when real property is transferred during the calendar year; amend KRS 134.015

to make taxes, fees, penalties, and interest the personal debt of the taxpayer as of December 31st when the title of real property is transferred during the calendar year; amend KRS 134.504 to establish mailing requirements for the certificate of delinquency notice; amend KRS 382.135 to remove the in-care-of address requirement; amend various KRS statutes to conform; apply to property assessed on or after January 1, 2021.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB451 (BR1568) - S. Lee, J. Fischer

AN ACT relating to abortion.
Amend KRS 15.241 to require the Attorney General, upon certification by the secretary of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, to seek injunctive relief as well as civil or criminal penalties for violations of KRS Chapter 216B relating to abortion facilities and KRS 311.720 to 311.830 relating to abortions; provide that, in the absence of certification, the Attorney General may seek injunctive relief as well as civil or criminal penalties.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB452 (BR1745)/LM - J. Sims Jr, D. Meade

AN ACT relating to the ad valorem taxation of privately owned leasehold interests in residential property owned by a purely public charity.
Amend KRS 132.195 to include specific privately owned leasehold interests in residential property owned by a purely public charity in the list of leasehold interests exempt from state and local property taxation at the prevailing rate; amend KRS 132.020 to include specific privately owned leasehold interests in residential property owned by a purely public charity in the list of property that is subject to a one-and-one-half-cent state property tax rate; amend KRS 132.200 to include specific privately owned leasehold interests in residential property owned by a purely public charity in the list of property that is subject to property taxation for state purposes only.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB453 (BR1247) - S. Santoro, J. Jenkins, R. Goforth, K. Moser

AN ACT relating to identity documents, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.
Amend various sections of KRS 186.400 to 186.640, and KRS Chapters 189A and 281A to make the Transportation Cabinet the sole application and issuance entity for operator's licenses and personal identification cards and eliminate the requirements that these documents be applied for in the county of residence; amend KRS 186.419 to expand the list of documents an applicant can use when applying for a voluntary travel ID; amend KRS 186.490 to allow circuit clerk offices to continue issuing standard identity credentials until the Transportation Cabinet, Administrative Office of the Courts, and the circuit clerk mutually agree on closing that function; require all circuit clerks' offices to stop issuing operator's licenses and personal ID cards by June 30, 2022; amend KRS 186.531 to set forth a distribution schedule for license and ID card fees for these documents that are applied for with the Transportation Cabinet; amend KRS 186.010 to define the phrase "alternative technology"; amend KRS 116.0452, 116.0455, and 116.085 to conform; EMERGENCY

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB454 (BR1531) - J. Nemes

AN ACT relating to contract procurement and making an appropriation therefor.
Create a new section of KRS Chapter 43 to require the Auditor of Public Accounts to conduct a biennial audit of the contract procurement systems of the Department of Highways; enumerate issues to be examined in the audit; allow the Auditor to contract for professional services; require the Department of Highways to reimburse the Auditor for the cost of the audit; require submission of the audit to the LRC by June 30th of each odd numbered fiscal year; Amend KRS 176.050 to require the Department of Highways to reimburse the auditor for the biennial audit of contract procurement procedures; require the department to promulgate administrative regulations regarding the advertisement and award of bids for highway construction; amend KRS 176.210 to prohibit the Department of Highways from making public the identity of a qualified bidder on a particular project prior to the bid letting on that project; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB455 (BR1547) - K. Bratcher

AN ACT relating to student discipline at public postsecondary education institutions.
Amend KRS 164.370 to require each governing board of a public postsecondary education institution to adopt a student code of conduct that includes disciplinary procedures; set minimum requirements for the disciplinary procedures; require the institution to provide additional rights to students eligible to receive certain punishments; require a governing board to permit a student whose residence is in campus housing to appeal to the governing board; require a governing board to permit a student organization whose affiliation with the institution has been terminated to appeal to the governing board; permit a student to appeal a final decision of a governing board in accordance with KRS Chapter 13B, except that the student shall have 1 year to appeal; define "student"; title the Act "the Kentucky Student Administrative Rights Protection Act."

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB456 (BR929) - M. Dossett

AN ACT relating to the operation of a motor vehicle.
Amend KRS 189.340 to allow the Transportation Cabinet to restrict lanes of travel, for trucks with more than six wheels, on any highway containing 3 or more lanes of travel in the same direction; require the cabinet to post official signs notifying operators of this restriction; require operators to obey posted signs.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB457 (BR1380) - K. Bratcher

AN ACT relating to election precinct boundaries and declaring an emergency.
Amend KRS 117.056 to change the date from July 15 to January 1 in years ending in "0" to maintain election precinct boundaries; "EMERGENCY".

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB458 (BR1633) - R. Huff

AN ACT relating to home or hospital instruction.
Repeal, reenact as a new section of KRS Chapter 158, and amend KRS 157.270 to clarify eligibility of students for home or hospital instruction; require the Kentucky Board of Education to promulgate administrative regulations for home or hospital instruction; amend KRS 159.030 to clarify the evidence requirements for exemption from compulsory attendance due to physical or mental conditions.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HB459 (BR1811) - R. Huff

AN ACT relating to athletics.
Amend KRS 156.070 to require the Kentucky Board of Education or agency designated by the board of education to manage interscholastic athletics to promulgate administrative regulations or bylaws requiring schools that participate in interscholastic athletics to designate all athletic teams, activities, and sports based upon the biological sex of the students eligible to participate; prohibiting male students from participating in athletic teams, activities, and sports designated as girls; and defining the methods of establishing a students' biological sex; prohibit designated agencies from entertaining complaints or investigations of policies; create a cause of action against a school that violates these provisions; require that the action be brought within 2 years; create a new section of KRS Chapter 164 to require a public postsecondary education institution or private postsecondary education institution that is a member of a national intercollegiate athletic association to designate all intercollegiate and intramural athletic teams, activities, sports, and events that are sponsored or authorized by the institution based on biological sex of students eligible to participate; require that those institutions prohibit male students from participating in athletic teams, activities, and sports designated as womens'; and define the methods of establishing a postsecondary student's biological sex; prohibit designated agencies from entertaining complaints or investigations of policies; create a cause of action against a postsecondary institution that violates these provisions; require that the action be brought within 2 years; title the Act: "Save Women's Sports Act."

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

House Resolutions

HR1 (BR1121) - D. Osborne

Establish the membership of the 2020 Kentucky House of Representatives.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; adopted by voice vote

HR2 (BR869) - D. Osborne

Adopt the Rules of Procedure for the 2020 Regular Session of the House of Representatives.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; adopted 81-10

HR3 (BR1115) - D. Osborne, C. McCoy

Extend an invitation to the pastors of Frankfort churches to open sessions of the 2020 Regular Session with prayer.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; adopted by voice vote

HCR4 (BR1010) - R. Wiederstein

Urge the United States Congress to enact the Lower Health Care Costs Act.

Dec 05, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HCR5 (BR1011) - D. Bentley, A. Bowling, D. Frazier, K. King, K. Moser, M. Prunty

Urge federal policymakers to expedite research regarding the safety and efficacy of the use of marijuana for medical purposes.

Dec 11, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 30, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 89-2
Jan 31, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

HCR6 (BR813) - R. Wiederstein

Create the Using the Neonatal Intensive Care Unit Wisely Task Force to study and make recommendations related to the utilization, effectiveness, and cost of Kentucky's Neonatal Intensive Care Units; outline task force membership; require the task force to meet at least three times during the

2020 interim and to submit findings and recommendations to the Legislative Research Commission by December 1, 2020.

Dec 09, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)

HJR7 (BR109) - R. Huff

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate mile-point 22 on Interstate 75, in Whitley County as the "Veterans Suicide Memorial Mile"; erect the appropriate signage denoting this designation.

Sep 25, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Transportation (H)

HJR8 (BR808) - T. Huff, K. Bratcher, J. Miller, J. Nemes, J. Tipton, R. Webber

Direct the Energy and Environment Cabinet and the Louisville Metro Air Pollution Control District to determine the environmental benefits, related costs, and potential alternatives to the federal reformulated gasoline requirements currently imposed in Jefferson County and partial areas in Bullitt and Oldham Counties.

HJR8 - AMENDMENTS
HCA1(J. Gooch Jr.) - Make technical correction.
HFA1(T. Huff) - Require 180 days after the United States EPA approves the revision of the state implementation plan, the requirement to use reformulated gasoline in Jefferson county nonattainment area will be suspended.

Oct 10, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Natural Resources & Energy (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with committee amendment (1); floor amendment (1) filed
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 23, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 79-10 with committee amendment (1) and floor amendment (1)
Jan 24, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 27, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (S)
Jan 29, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 30, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 05, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Thursday, February 6, 2020
Feb 06, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 35-1; received in House; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House
Feb 07, 2020 - enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; delivered to Governor

HJR9 (BR371) - R. Wiederstein
Feb 12-WITHDRAWN

HJR10 (BR467) - J. Graviss, D. Frazier, M. Sorolis

Directs the Secretary of Personnel to remove the midpoint pay restrictions for the nursing staff of veterans centers operated by the Office of Kentucky Veterans Centers.

Dec 12, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 14, 2020 - posting withdrawn

HR11 (BR285) - J. DuPlessis

Urge Congress to require car manufacturers to install safety features to help prevent children from being left in hot cars.

Sep 06, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Transportation (H)
Jan 10, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 14, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 15, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 16, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 17, 2020
Jan 21, 2020 - taken from the Orders of the Day; to House Floor; adopted by voice vote

HR12 (BR482) - R. Huff

Declare May 2020 to be Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome Awareness Month.

Oct 04, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 27, 2020 - taken from the Orders of the Day; to House Floor
Feb 10, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

HR13 (BR486) - A. Scott, C. Booker, G. Brown Jr, J. Glenn, D. Graham, R. Meeks, S. Miles

Urge the Kentucky Department of Education to create a task force to consider ways to improve diversity in STEAM education.

Oct 23, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Education (H)

HR14 (BR886) - D. Bentley, D. Frazier, R. Goforth, K. King, P. Minter, M. Prunty

Proclaim April 26, 2020, to be Diabetic Ketoacidosis Awareness Day.

Nov 20, 2019 - Prefiled by the sponsor(s).
Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House; to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 16, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 17, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 21, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 22, 2020
Jan 23, 2020 - taken from the Orders of the Day; to House Floor; adopted by voice vote

HR15 (BR1160) - J. Hoover, T. Turner, A. Bowling, D. Frazier, S. Riley, S. Rudy

Honor Representative John "Bam" Carney and extend get well wishes.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to House Floor

HR16 (BR1116) - D. Osborne

Appoint a committee to wait upon the Governor.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to House Floor
Jan 14, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

HR17 (BR1015) - R. Heath, C. Freeland, M. Hart, K. King, B. Reed

Declare January 15, 2020, to be Hunger Free Kentucky Day.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 15, 2020 - reported favorably; to House Floor; adopted by voice vote

HR18 (BR1133) - J. Tipton

Request the House of Representatives to begin each legislative day during the 2020 Regular Session of the Kentucky General Assembly with the pledge of allegiance to the state flag of Kentucky as provided in KRS 2.035.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Jan 13, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 14, 2020 - posting withdrawn

HJR19 (BR489) - B. McCool

Designate the Ballard Shepherd Memorial Bridge in Johnson County.

Jan 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HR20 (BR826) - R. Meeks, A. Scott

Recognize the second Monday of October of each year as Indigenous Peoples' Day in Kentucky.

HR20 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions, except delete reference to Columbus Day.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 23, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 24, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 27, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, January 28, 2020
Jan 28, 2020 - 3rd reading, adopted 93-0 with Committee Substitute (1)

HR21 (BR349) - A. Scott, R. Meeks

Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Lindsay Eugene Hearn Sr.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 09, 2020 - to House Floor
Jan 10, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

HR22 (BR1172) - M. Cantrell, A. Hatton, T. Bojanowski, T. Branham Clark, K. Flood, C. Harris, K. Hinkle, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, S. Lewis, M. Marzian, P. Minter, R. Palumbo, J. Raymond, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, L. Willner

Commemorate Human Trafficking Awareness Day on January 11, 2020.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)

HR23 (BR77) - R. Meeks

Urge the United States Congress to direct the removal of United States Armed Forces from hostilities in the Republic of Yemen.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HJR24 (BR1141) - C. Booker

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate a portion of Interstate 64 in Jefferson County in honor and memory of Louisville Metro Police Detective Deidre Irene Mengedoht; erect the appropriate signage.

Jan 08, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 10, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HJR25 (BR1109) - B. Rowland

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate a portion of Kentucky Route 869 in Metcalfe County in honor and memory of Sheriff Ricky Monroe Brooks; erect the appropriate signage.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HR26 (BR401) - B. Reed, K. King

Recognize February 22 to 29, 2020, as FFA Week in Kentucky.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee

HR27 (BR399) - B. Reed, K. King

Recognize April 2020 as National Soybean Month.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee

HR28 (BR398) - B. Reed, K. King

Recognize January 11, 2020, as National Milk Day.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee

HR29 (BR400) - B. Reed, K. King

Recognize May 2020 as National Beef Month.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee

HR30 (BR402) - B. Reed, K. King

Recognize October 2020 as National Pork Month.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; taken from Rules; to House Floor
Feb 11, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

HR31 (BR385) - B. Reed

Celebrate the 211th birthday of Abraham Lincoln.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 23, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 24, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 27, 2020 - to House Floor
Feb 12, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

HR32 (BR386) - B. Reed

Recognize March as Traumatic Brain Injury Awareness Month.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 23, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 24, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 27, 2020 - to House Floor

HR33 (BR387) - B. Reed

Designate June 27, 2020, as Post-Traumatic Stress Injury Awareness Day and designate June 2020 as Post-Traumatic Stress Injury Month.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 23, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 24, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 27, 2020 - to House Floor

HCR34 (BR1218) - R. Goforth, M. Hart

Urge the President of the United States and Congress to constitute Easter as a national holiday.

Jan 09, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 13, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HCR35 (BR479) - D. Osborne, J. Graviss

Urge local governments in Kentucky to partner and establish the support of school-based outreach programs and nonprofit community-based organizations in order to localize census efforts.

HCR35 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions; update name of Governor.

Jan 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 14, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 15, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Friday, January 24, 2020
Jan 27, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 91-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 28, 2020 - received in Senate
Jan 30, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HR36 (BR1215) - C. Stevenson
Jan 15-WITHDRAWN

HR37 (BR861) - J. Tipton, J. Graviss

Encourage restoration and maintenance of the Kentucky River to ensure full navigability of the river for economic and tourism development purposes.

Jan 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 14, 2020 - to Natural Resources & Energy (H)
Jan 27, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - to House Floor
Feb 07, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

HR38 (BR1245) - N. Kulkarni, T. Branham Clark, T. Bojanowski

Declare February 27, 2020, to be Kentucky Rare Disease Day.

Jan 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 15, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HCR39 (BR1026) - J. Graviss

Establish the Aerospace and Aviation Caucus within the Kentucky General Assembly.

HCR39 - AMENDMENTS
HFA1(L. Bechler) - Add the Kentucky Department of Aviation to the list of agencies the caucus shall work closely with to achieve its goals.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Small Business & Information Technology (H)
Jan 27, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - floor amendment (1) filed
Feb 06, 2020 - recommitted to Small Business & Information Technology (H)

HCR40 (BR969) - R. Rothenburger, W. Thomas, D. Bentley

Declare it fitting and proper that public safety telecommunicators be included as a protective service occupation under the federal Standard Occupational Classification system; urge Congress to enact the Supporting Accurate Views of Emergency Services Acts of 2019.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Local Government (H)
Jan 17, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 22, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 23, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Jan 28, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Wednesday, January 29, 2020
Jan 29, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 90-0
Jan 30, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 03, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HCR41 (BR1183) - M. Koch

Celebrate Secretariat's 50th birthday, and acknowledge Secretariat's 50th Celebration: A Legends of Bourbon County Festival, Claiborne Farm, and the community of Paris, Kentucky, for keeping his legacy alive.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee

HR42 (BR1249) - S. Westrom, T. Bojanowski, J. Jenkins, P. Minter, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, L. Willner

Support Muslim Day at the State Capitol on January 22, 2020.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HJR43 (BR1157) - M. Prunty

Designate the Representative Charles "Preacher" Nelson Memorial Highway in Muhlenberg County.

Jan 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 16, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HR44 (BR1282) - D. Meade , K. Banta, L. Bechler, D. Bentley, J. Blanton, T. Bojanowski, A. Bowling, T. Branham Clark, R. Brenda, R. Bridges, G. Brown Jr, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, M. Dossett, J. DuPlessis, D. Elliott, J. Fischer, D. Frazier, C. Freeland, C. Fugate, A. Gentry, J. Glenn, R. Goforth, J. Gooch Jr., D. Graham, J. Graviss, C. Harris, M. Hart, A. Hatton, R. Heath, S. Heavrin, R. Huff, T. Huff, J. Jenkins, K. King, M. Koch, N. Kulkarni, S. Lewis, S. Maddox, M. Marzian, B. McCool, C. McCoy, R. Meeks, M. Meredith, S. Miles, C. Miller, J. Miller, P. Minter, K. Moser, J. Nemes, D. Osborne, R. Palumbo, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, S. Riley, R. Rothenburger, B. Rowland, S. Rudy, S. Santoro, D. Schamore, A. Scott, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, J. Stewart III, W. Stone, A. Tackett Laferty, N. Tate, W. Thomas, T. Turner, K. Upchurch, R. Webber, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Willner, L. Yates

Honor the Blueprint for Kentucky's Children and adjourn in honor of Children's Advocacy Day on January 23, 2020.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 21, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 23, 2020 - reported favorably; to House Floor; adopted by voice vote

HR45 (BR918) - S. Maddox, M. Hart, C. Freeland, T. Huff, K. King, D. Lewis, M. Meredith, B. Reed, B. Rowland, S. Rudy, D. Schamore, N. Tate, K. Upchurch, R. Webber, L. Yates

Urge the General Assembly to oppose the adoption of a "Red Flag" law or other legislation infringing on the right to keep and bear arms.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 24, 2020 - posted in committee

HR46 (BR1291) - C. Stevenson

Recognize November as Epilepsy Awareness Month.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - taken from Rules (H); to House Floor

HR47 (BR1315) - D. Lewis
Jan 21-WITHDRAWN

HR48 (BR1090) - S. Lee, J. Graviss, K. King

Recognize and celebrate the Aviation Museum of Kentucky for its contributions to the Commonwealth on its twenty-fifth anniversary.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Transportation (H)
Jan 22, 2020 - posted in committee

HCR49 (BR1257) - K. Moser, K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, K. King

Create the Severe Mental Illness Task Force to study the provision of mental health services to adults with a severe mental illness; outline task force membership; require the task force to meet monthly during the 2020 Interim and to submit findings and recommendations to the Legislative Research Commission by December 1, 2020.

HCR49 - AMENDMENTS
HCS1 - Retain original provisions; amend preamble; amend the duties of the task force; and amend the membership of the task force.

Jan 15, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 17, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Jan 28, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with Committee Substitute (1)
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 05, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 94-0 with Committee Substitute (1)
Feb 06, 2020 - received in Senate

Feb 10, 2020 - to Health & Welfare (S)

HR50 (BR1190) - P. Minter, C. Booker, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, D. Graham, J. Graviss, C. Harris, A. Hatton, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, C. Miller, J. Raymond, A. Scott, J. Sims Jr, M. Sorolis, W. Stone, A. Tackett Laferty, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

Commemorate the centennial anniversary of Kentucky's ratification of the 19th Amendment on January 6, 1920.

Jan 16, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 21, 2020 - to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)
Jan 22, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 29, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 11, 2020 - posting withdrawn

HR51 (BR1325) - N. Tate, L. Bechler

Designate February 20, 2020, as Sarcoidosis Awareness Day.

Jan 21, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 23, 2020 - to House Floor

HCR52 (BR267) - J. Raymond, S. Sheldon, K. Banta, T. Bojanowski, R. Bridges, J. Donohue, J. Glenn, D. Graham, M. Hart, S. Heavrin, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, M. Marzian, C. Massey, B. McCool, R. Meeks, C. Miller, P. Minter, K. Moser, M. Prunty, S. Riley, A. Scott, J. Sims Jr, C. Stevenson, N. Tate, J. Tipton, B. Wheatley, L. Willner

Direct the Legislative Research Commission to establish the Kentucky Preschool Program Task Force to study preschool programs; require findings and recommendations to be reported by November 30, 2020.

Jan 22, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 24, 2020 - to Education (H)

HCR53 (BR1335) - B. Reed, B. Rowland, T. Huff, K. King, D. Schamore

Urge the United States Congress to enact legislation allowing states to permanently adopt daylight saving time.

Jan 22, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 24, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Jan 28, 2020 - posted in committee
Jan 30, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Jan 31, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 03, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 4, 2020
Feb 05, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 92-2
Feb 06, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 10, 2020 - to State & Local Government (S)

HJR54 (BR1326) - D. Lewis

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to place signs on United States Highway 421 in Clay County honoring Bailey Hubbard, Kentucky's Miss Golf 2016.

Jan 22, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 24, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HCR55 (BR1324) - R. Brenda

Urge Congress to fully implement the Adam Walsh Child Protection and Safety Act of 2006.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to Judiciary (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee

HR56 (BR1274) - S. Westrom

Urge the Secretary of the Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services to apply for grants for social worker and human services professional safety.

Jan 23, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 27, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HCR57 (BR1417) - R. Heath, M. Hart

Urge Congress to reassess the federal definition of hemp, allowing the product to contain up to one percent (1%) delta-9 tetrahydrocannabinol (THC).

Jan 24, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 28, 2020 - to Agriculture (H)
Jan 31, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 10, 2020 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders of the Day for Tuesday, February 11, 2020
Feb 11, 2020 - 3rd reading, passed 90-1
Feb 12, 2020 - received in Senate
Feb 14, 2020 - to Agriculture (S)

HJR58 (BR1309) - J. Sims Jr

Designate the Elbert Eugene 'Gene' Staggs Memorial Highway in Fleming County

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HJR59 (BR1308) - J. Blanton

Designate the Private Donald Douglas Gibson Memorial Bridge in Knott County.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HJR60 (BR1307) - J. Blanton

Designate the Oscar Green Memorial Highway in Magoffin County.

Jan 27, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 29, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HCR61 (BR1236) - M. Hart

Urge Congress to adopt the Higher Education Loan Payment and Enhanced Retirement Act.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Education (H)

HJR62 (BR406) - W. Thomas

Designate the Between the Rivers Bridge in Trigg County.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HJR63 (BR1476) - D. Frazier, M. Meredith

Direct the Secretary of Personnel to remove the midpoint pay restrictions for the nursing staff of veterans centers operated by the Office of Kentucky Veterans Centers.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to State Government (H)
Feb 04, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 18, 2020 - posting withdrawn

HJR64 (BR1279) - W. Stone

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate a bridge on Kentucky Route 100 in Allen County, Kentucky, in honor of former Scottsville mayor and educator Rob H. Cline; erect appropriate signage.

Jan 28, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 30, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HR65 (BR1428) - S. Miles, K. Banta, L. Bechler, D. Bentley, J. Blanton, T. Bojanowski, C. Booker, A. Bowling, T. Branham Clark, K. Bratcher, R. Brenda, R. Bridges, G. Brown Jr, M. Cantrell, J. Donohue, M. Dossett, J. DuPlessis, D. Elliott, J. Fischer, K. Flood, D. Frazier, C. Freeland, C. Fugate, A. Gentry, J. Glenn, R. Goforth, J. Gooch Jr., D. Graham, J. Graviss, D. Hale, M. Hart, A. Hatton, R. Heath, S. Heavrin, C. Howard, T. Huff, J. Jenkins, K. King, M. Koch, A. Koenig, N. Kulkarni, S. Lee, D. Lewis, S. Lewis, C. Massey, B. McCool, C. McCoy, D. Meade , R. Meeks, M. Meredith, C. Miller, J. Miller, P. Minter, K. Moser, J. Nemes, D. Osborne, R. Palumbo, J. Petrie, P. Pratt, M. Prunty, B. Reed, S. Riley, R. Rothenburger, S. Rudy, S. Santoro, D. Schamore, S. Sheldon, J. Sims Jr, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, W. Stone, A. Tackett Laferty, N. Tate, W. Thomas, J. Tipton, T. Turner, K. Upchurch, R. Webber, S. Westrom, B. Wheatley, R. Wiederstein, L. Willner, L. Yates

Pledge civility on the floor and outside the chambers of the House of Representatives.

Jan 29, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to House Floor; adopted by voice vote

HJR66 (BR1073) - S. Rudy, S. Santoro

Provide that the General Assembly shall adopt the last four years of the six year road plan as a joint resolution.

Jan 30, 2020 - introduced in House
Jan 31, 2020 - to Appropriations & Revenue (H)
Feb 05, 2020 - posted in committee

HJR67 (BR1492) - R. Brenda

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to place signs in Rockastle County honoring Conner "Smoke" Ford, 2019 National Drive, Chip, and Putt Champion.

Jan 31, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 03, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HJR68 (BR1493) - R. Brenda

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to erect signs on United States Highway 27 and Kentucky Route 52 in Garrard County at the Lancaster city limits that read, "Home of the Kentucky Motion Picture Hall of Fame."

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HR69 (BR1552) - R. Heath, K. King

Honor Kentucky farmers and recognize February 2 to 8, 2020, as Food Check-Out Week

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 04, 2020 - to Agriculture (H); posting waived
Feb 05, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 06, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules; taken from Rules; to House Floor; adopted by voice vote

HR70 (BR1560) - M. Marzian

Recognize February 4, 2020, as Kentucky Nurses Day in the Commonwealth.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House; to House Floor
Feb 04, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

HJR71 (BR1485) - K. Hinkle

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to place signs honoring country music artist Tyler Childers on US Highway 23 and to add him to the Country Music Highway in Lawrence County.

Feb 03, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 05, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HR72 (BR1548) - R. Webber

Declare February 5, 2020, Advanced Practice Registered Nurse Day in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Feb 04, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 06, 2020 - to House Floor

HR73 (BR1570) - K. Hinkle

Designate January 23rd of each year as Maternal Health Awareness Day in Kentucky.

Feb 05, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 07, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 11, 2020 - posted in committee
Feb 13, 2020 - reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 14, 2020 - 2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 18, 2020 - taken from Rules (H); to House Floor

HR74 (BR1598) - K. Upchurch

Recognize February as Career and Technical Education Month in Kentucky.

Feb 06, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to House Floor
Feb 11, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

HR75 (BR1586) - D. Frazier, R. Brenda, M. Koch

Recognize the World Horseshoeing Classic in Richmond, Kentucky, on March 5-7, 2020.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 10, 2020 - to House Floor

HR76 (BR1474) - J. Fischer, K. Banta, M. Hart, A. Koenig, S. Maddox, C. Massey, K. Moser, P. Pratt, S. Santoro, B. Wheatley

Direct that a committee be appointed to determine whether an impeachment proceedings should be instituted against Kenton County Family Court Judge Dawn M. Gentry.

Feb 07, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to Committee on Impeachment

HR77 (BR1594) - M. Prunty

Declare October 9, 2020, to be PANDAS and PANS Awareness Day.

Feb 10, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 12, 2020 - to House Floor

HCR78 (BR1613) - M. Prunty

Create the Kentucky Pediatric Autoimmune Neuropsychiatric Disorder Associated with Streptococcal Infections (PANDAS) and Pediatric Acute-Onset Neuropsychiatric Syndrome (PANS) Task Force to provide recommendations to the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, health care providers, and the General Assembly on improving research, diagnoses, treatments, and education of PANDAS and PANS; outline task force membership; require the task force to meet monthly during the 2020 Interim and to submit findings and recommendations to the Legislative Research Commission by December 1, 2020.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 13, 2020 - to Health and Family Services (H)

HJR79 (BR1621) - M. Hart

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to erect honorary signs declaring Pendleton County "Home of Dontaie Allen, 2019 KY Mr. Basketball."

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 13, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HR80 (BR1675) - T. Burch

Honor Valentine's Day in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Feb 11, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 13, 2020 - to House Floor
Feb 14, 2020 - adopted by voice vote

HJR81 (BR1553) - R. Wiederstein

Direct the Finance and Administration Cabinet to create the Evidence-Based Policymaking Task Force to study how state agencies collect and share data; APPROPRIATION.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 14, 2020 - to State Government (H)

HJR82 (BR1350) - T. Bojanowski, K. Banta, C. Booker, T. Branham Clark, R. Brenda, M. Cantrell, A. Gentry, J. Glenn, D. Graham, A. Hatton, R. Huff, J. Jenkins, N. Kulkarni, S. Lewis, C. Miller, K. Moser, J. Nemes, D. Osborne, J. Raymond, A. Scott, M. Sorolis, C. Stevenson, L. Willner

Direct the commissioner of education to convene a strategic assessment and accountability committee; establish minimum requirements for the composition of the committee; establish the duties of the committee; require the commissioner to report the findings of the committee to the Interim Joint Committee on Education by December 1, 2020, and December 1, 2021.

Feb 12, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 14, 2020 - to Education (H)

HR83 (BR1696) - N. Tate
Feb 18-WITHDRAWN

HR84 (BR1734) - K. Moser

Declare the week of February 24, 2020, to March 1, 2020, as National Eating Disorders Awareness Week in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Feb 13, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to House Floor

HJR85 (BR1403) - R. Webber

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to designate a section of Kentucky Route 44 in Bullitt County in honor and memory of Lieutenant Scotty McGaha, and to erect the appropriate signage.

Feb 14, 2020 - introduced in House
Feb 18, 2020 - to Transportation (H)

HR86 (BR1831) - W. Stone, K. King

Recognize February 20, 2020, as Childhood Cancer Awareness Day in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House; to House Floor

HJR87 (BR1728) - J. Tipton, T. Huff, R. Webber

Direct the Transportation Cabinet to place a sign in Bullitt County honoring the Bullitt East High School Cheerleading Team, 2020 National Champions and 6 time KHSAA state champions.

Feb 18, 2020 - introduced in House

HCR88 (BR1415) - J. Gooch Jr.

Reestablish the Public Water and Wastewater System Infrastructure Task Force; direct the task force to continue to evaluate policy options on how to address Kentucky's troubled public water and wastewater systems; name the membership of the task force; require the task force to meet at least three times during the 2020 Interim and to submit its findings, legislative recommendations, or a memorandum to the Legislative Research Commission by November 30, 2020; provide that the Legislative Research Commission is authorized to alternatively assign the issues to be addressed by the task force to an interim joint committee or subcommittee thereof and to assign an alternative study completion date.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HJR89 (BR1789) - K. Hinkle

Designate the Sgt. Billy Ray Patton Memorial Bridge in Lawrence County.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HR90 (BR1774) - K. Moser

Declare May Mental Health Month in Kentucky.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HJR91 (BR1221) - T. Bojanowski, M. Marzian, M. Cantrell

Direct the Energy and Environment Cabinet to study the economic impact of renewable energy portfolio standards and other renewable energy policies in all states and to provide recommendations on the applicability and feasibility of adopting new renewable energy policies that support economic growth in Kentucky; submit findings and recommendations regarding the implementation of renewable portfolio standards and other renewable energy policies in Kentucky and the resulting economic impact on the Commonwealth to the Governor, the Legislative Research Commission, and the Interim Joint Committee on Natural Resources and Energy by July 1, 2021.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HR92 (BR1617) - T. Bojanowski, M. Sorolis, A. Hatton, N. Kulkarni, M. Marzian, C. Stevenson

Declare March 12, 2020, Kidney Disease Awareness Day in Kentucky.

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

HR93 (BR1804) - J. Jenkins, D. Osborne

Declare Kentucky a compassionate community, and acknowledge the Commonwealth as a "Compassionate Kentucky."

Feb 19, 2020 - introduced in House

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