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Charleston, W. Va., Monday, January 26, 2015

The Senate met at 11 a.m.

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

Prayer was offered by Reverend Michael Knotts, Saulsville Baptist Church, Saulsville, West Virginia.

The Senate was then led in recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance by the Honorable Craig Blair, a senator from the fifteenth district.

Pending the reading of the Journal of Friday, January 23, 2015,

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

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

The Senate then proceeded to the third order of business.

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

**Eng. Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 2025**—A Bill to amend and reenact §62-12-26 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to prohibiting certain sex offenders from loitering within one thousand feet of a school, child care facility, or victim; and defining loitering.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

**Eng. House Bill No. 2201**—A Bill to amend and reenact §24-2F-8 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to providing a definition for net metering, requiring the Public Service Commission to adopt certain net metering and interconnection rules and standards, and striking deadlines for rule-making by the Public Service Commission.

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

The Senate proceeded to the sixth order of business.

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

**By Senators Gaunch and Trump:**

**Senate Bill No. 298**—A Bill to amend and reenact §5-10-28 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to the Public Employees Retirement System; and clarifying that members deposit fund, employers accumulation fund, retirement reserve fund, income

fund and expense fund all refer to the Public Employees Retirement Fund.

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

**By Senators Gaunch and Trump:**

**Senate Bill No. 299**—A Bill to amend and reenact §15-2A-9 and §15-2A-10 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to duty-related disability retirement in the West Virginia State Police Retirement System; and specifying that disability disbursements shall begin the first day of the month following approval by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board and member's termination of employment.

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

**By Senators Gaunch, Trump and Stollings:**

**Senate Bill No. 300**—A Bill to amend and reenact §5-10-15 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to availability of military service credit for members of the West Virginia Public Employees Retirement System; clarifying that Title 10 and Title 32 National Guard service qualify for military service credit; awarding up to five years of noncontributory military service credit for any time served in active military duty for persons who first became employees of participating public employer prior to July 1, 2015; providing that persons who first become employees of participating public employer on or after July 1, 2015, may purchase military service credit for eligible periods, but may not receive noncontributory military service credit; clarifying prohibition on use of military service to obtain military service credit in more than one retirement system administered by the board; clarifying applicability of federal law to purchases of qualified military service; eliminating applicability of liberality clause to the board's decisions to grant or deny requests for military service credit; and other technical clarifications and corrections.

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

**By Senators Gaunch and Trump:**

**Senate Bill No. 301**—A Bill to amend and reenact §8-22A-2 and §8-22A-6 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to membership provisions in the West Virginia Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System.

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

**By Senators Gaunch and Trump:**

**Senate Bill No. 302**—A Bill to amend and reenact §5-10A-2 and §5-10A-6 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to disqualification for public retirement plan benefits when a participant is determined to have rendered less than honorable service; adding the West Virginia Municipal Police Officers and Firefighters Retirement System to definition of “retirement plan”; and specifying that former participants of the West Virginia Teachers’ Defined Contribution Retirement System who elected to transfer to the West Virginia Teachers Retirement System and whose benefits have been terminated for less than honorable service shall not be refunded any transferred vested employer contributions.

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

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

**Senate Bill No. 303**—A Bill to amend and reenact §11-15-30 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to certain deposits of tax proceeds; reducing amount of sales tax proceeds annually dedicated to the School Major Improvement Fund by \$2,000,004 for fiscal years 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2020; reducing amount of sales tax proceeds annually dedicated to the

School Construction Fund by \$6 million for fiscal years 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2020; and making stylistic changes.

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

**By Senators Miller, Williams, Beach, D. Hall, Nohe, Sypolt, Snyder and Stollings:**

**Senate Bill No. 304**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §19-35-1, §19-35-2, §19-35-3, §19-35-4 and §19-35-5, all relating to farmers markets; stating purpose and definitions; establishing farmers market vendor permit, scope and fees; permitting consignment farmers markets; and requiring rulemaking.

Referred to the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senators Gaunch and Trump:**

**Senate Bill No. 305**—A Bill to amend and reenact §5-10-17 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; to amend and reenact §7-14D-5 of said code; to amend and reenact §8-22A-6 of said code; to amend and reenact §15-2A-3 of said code; to amend and reenact §16-5V-6 of said code; and to amend and reenact §18-7A-13 of said code, all relating to retirement system participation and concurrent employment provisions; clarifying that members first employed in covered employment in the West Virginia Deputy Sheriffs Retirement System, West Virginia Municipal Police Officers and Firefighters Retirement System or the West Virginia Emergency Medical Services Retirement System shall participate in only one retirement system administered by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board in which the member has the earliest date of hire; and specifying that members of the Public Employees Retirement System, the State Police Retirement System and the Teachers Retirement System who are employed in an additional job that requires membership in the West Virginia Deputy Sheriff Retirement System, the West Virginia Municipal Police Officers and

Firefighters Retirement System or the West Virginia Emergency Medical Services Retirement System shall abide by the concurrent employment provisions of said system and participate in only one system administered by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board.

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

**By Senators Ferns, Carmichael, D. Hall, Mullins and Blair:**

**Senate Bill No. 306**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §51-1B-1, §51-1B-2, §51-1B-3, §51-1B-4, §51-1B-5, §51-1B-6, §51-1B-7, §51-1B-8, §51-1B-9, §51-1B-10, §51-1B-11 and §51-1B-12, all relating to creation of a new court to be known as the West Virginia Intermediate Court of Appeals; requiring court to be operational by January 1, 2016; establishing northern and southern districts; providing three judges for each district; establishing qualifications for judges; establishing jurisdiction of the court; providing for deflection review; providing that the West Virginia Supreme Court of Appeals will either keep an appeal or transfer it to the Intermediate Court; providing that appeals in certain administrative cases are discretionary; authorizing appeals from the Intermediate Court to the Supreme Court; authorizing the Governor to make initial appointments by July 1, 2016; creating staggered terms; providing for elections for ten-year terms after initial appointments; authorizing a Chief Judge of the Intermediate Court; authorizing staff for court and judges; providing for compensation and expenses of judges and staff; providing for temporary assignment of circuit court judges; authorizing the Supreme Court to provide facilities, furniture, fixtures and equipment for the Intermediate Court; establishing precedential effect of Intermediate Court orders and decisions; providing that budget of the Intermediate Court will be part of the Supreme Court budget; and providing for severability of this article.

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

**By Senators Blair and Carmichael:**

**Senate Bill No. 307**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §21-1E-1, relating to creating the Paycheck Protection Act; establishing acts prohibited by a public employer; providing purpose; establishing acts prohibited by a labor organization; and requiring bargaining representatives to file annual reports.

Referred to the Committee on Labor; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senators Trump and Carmichael:**

**Senate Bill No. 308**—A Bill to amend and reenact §56-6-31 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to the rate of interest allowed for pre-judgment and post-judgment interest.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senators Trump, Laird, Walters and Nohe:**

**Senate Bill No. 309**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §25-1-5a, relating to authorizing the Commissioner of Corrections to enter into mutual aid agreements.

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

**By Senators Sypolt, Williams and Nohe:**

**Senate Bill No. 310**—A Bill to amend and reenact §11-13-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to exempting nonprofit public utility companies from the West Virginia Business and Occupation Tax.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

**By Senators Beach, Kessler, D. Hall and Prezioso:**

**Senate Bill No. 311**—A Bill to amend and reenact §20-1-19 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to West Virginia

state parks and state forests; and changing the name of Coopers Rock State Forest to Coopers Rock State Park.

Referred to the Committee on Natural Resources; and then to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senators Nohe, Boley, Leonhardt, Palumbo and D. Hall:**

**Senate Bill No. 312**—A Bill to amend and reenact §3-8-7 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to disqualification of nominees for general election due to failure to file campaign finance statements.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senators Nohe, Blair, Carmichael, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Laird, Palumbo and Stollings:**

**Senate Bill No. 313**—A Bill to amend and reenact §33-10-4 and §33-10-26 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to delinquency proceedings of insurers; issuance of injunctions or orders following commencement of rehabilitation or liquidation proceeding of an insurer; and providing limitations on avoidance of transfer to federal home loan bank in liquidation proceeding of insurer-member of federal home loan bank.

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

Senators Unger, Snyder, Blair, Trump, Kessler, Beach, Prezioso and Stollings offered the following resolution:

**Senate Resolution No. 12**—Recognizing Leadership Berkeley for its service, dedication and commitment to Berkeley County.

Whereas, The objective of Leadership Berkeley is to promote knowledge and awareness of the problems, opportunities and issues facing Berkeley County; and



Whereas, Leadership Berkeley is designed to provide a series of educational and participatory experiences, as well as an opportunity for dialogue and the development of a correlation among participants in order to encourage local participation in the growth of Berkeley County; and

Whereas, The membership of Leadership Berkeley includes individuals from nearly every facet of Berkeley County's business, professional, religious, governmental, educational, civic, the arts, organized labor and minority organizations who demonstrate a commitment to the community; and

Whereas, The 2015 membership of Leadership Berkeley consists of Vicki L. Barnard, Court Appointed Special Advocates of the Eastern Panhandle; Amy L. Castle, Heartland of Martinsburg; Tonya L. Clark-Dorsey, Department of Veteran Affairs; Daniel Decker, Berkeley Medical Center; Meghan M. Dunn, CNB Bank, Inc.; Sandra J. Hamilton, Berkeley County Development Authority; Tina L. Hammel, Department of Veteran Affairs; Jamie S. Harrison, Blue Ridge Community and Technical College; James W. Hess, Hess Holdings LLC; Ashley P. Horst, Hospice of the Panhandle; Brian L. Jolliff, Pro Design, LLC; Allen R. Kees, United Bank; James W. Klein, Shepherd University Martinsburg Center; Anne C. Myers, Blue Ridge Community and Technical College; Dawn M. Newland, Newland Insurance Agency, Inc.; Douglas J. Pixler, Eastern Panhandle Transit Authority; Brandy M. Reed, CNB Bank, Inc.; Cammie J. Shrewsbury, City National Bank; Kelsey L. Swaim, Steptoe and Johnson PLLC; Amanda D. Vance, Bank of Charles Town; Rich L. Wallace, Jr., Kelley Allstate Agency; Robin Zanotti, Rotary Club of Martinsburg; Tina H. Combs, Martinsburg-Berkeley County Chamber of Commerce; and Todd McKinney, Outdoor Education Center; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate:*

That the Senate hereby recognizes Leadership Berkeley for its service, dedication and commitment to Berkeley County; and, be it

*Further Resolved*, That the Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the appropriate officials of Leadership Berkeley.

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

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

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

At the request of Senator Carmichael, unanimous consent being granted, Senators Cole (Mr. President), Carmichael and Kessler offered the following resolution from the floor:

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12**—Adopting joint rules of the Senate and House of Delegates.

*Resolved by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

That the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of Delegates to be adopted as follows and shall govern the proceedings of the ~~eightieth~~ eighty-second Legislature, subject to amendment as provided in the standing rules of the Senate and the House of Delegates:

### **Joint Assembly**

1. Whenever there shall be a joint assembly of the two houses, a brief account of the proceedings shall be entered upon the Journal of each house, except in the joint assembly for counting votes for state officers.

### **Joint Assembly to Open and Publish Election Returns**

2. As soon as the Senate, being organized, is informed that the House of Delegates is ready to proceed, as provided by ~~section three of article seven~~ Article VII, Section 3 of the Constitution of West Virginia, to open and publish the returns of the election for state officers, the Senate, preceded by its presiding officer and other officers, shall repair in a body to the hall of the House of Delegates. Upon their arrival the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Delegates shall announce the presence of the Senate. The presiding officer of the Senate shall then address the Speaker of the House, stating that a majority of the Senate has assembled in the hall of the House of Delegates to be present at the opening and publishing of the returns of the elections for State officers, held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ . The Speaker of the House of Delegates shall invite the presiding officer of the Senate to a seat upon his right, and the other members of the Senate and officers thereof to take seats assigned to them, and after announcing that a majority of the House of Delegates is present, shall then open and publish the returns of said election, proceeding by counties in alphabetical order, the Clerks of the two houses each taking down the returns as announced by the Speaker, to be entered upon the Journal of the House, and when completed and tabulated the Speaker shall announce the votes received by each person voted for, for each of said offices, and those receiving the largest number of votes, shall be by him declared duly elected; and the Senate shall then return to its hall, and if any two or more candidates for any of said offices have an equal and the highest number of votes for the same office, the two houses shall immediately proceed to choose one of such persons for said office by a joint vote, as provided by ~~Section 3 of Article VII,~~ Section 3 of the Constitution of West Virginia.

### **Disagreement and Conference**

3. (a) Whenever a measure of one house is amended in the other and the house in which it originated shall refuse to concur in the amendment, the house amending the measure may either insist or recede therefrom. But when a measure originating in one house is amended in the other, the house in which it originated may amend

such amendment and a motion therefor shall take precedence of a motion to concur. If said house refuses to concur, the other house may either recede from or insist upon its amendment, and a motion to recede shall take precedence of a motion to insist. The motion to lay on the table or to postpone indefinitely shall not be in order in respect to the motion to recede from or to insist.

A motion to recede having failed shall be equivalent to the adoption of a motion to insist and shall be so entered upon the Journal. A motion to insist being decided in the negative shall be equivalent to the adoption of a motion to recede and shall be so entered upon the Journal. If the motion to insist prevails, the house so insisting shall request a committee of conference on the subject of disagreement; and shall appoint a committee therefor. The other house may thereupon appoint such committee. Unless a different number is agreed upon, such conference committee shall consist of five members from each house.

Such committee shall consider and report upon only the subject matter of the amendment or amendments which were in disagreement, with necessary consequential changes. The committee shall meet at a convenient time, to be agreed upon by their ~~Chairmen~~ Chairs, and upon notifying all conferees of the time and place of any such meeting, and having conferred freely, shall report to their respective houses the result of the conference. In case of agreement, the report shall be first made, with the papers referred accompanying it, to the house which refused to concur, and there acted upon; and such action, with the papers referred, shall be immediately reported by the Clerk to the other house. In case of disagreement, the papers shall remain with the house in which the measure originated. If an agreement is reached, the report shall be made and signed in duplicate by at least a majority of the conferees from each house, one of the duplicates being retained by the conferees of each house.

(b) With respect to any conference agreed to within the first fifty-one days of a regular session, the conference committee shall report

to each house within seven days of agreement to conference or be discharged, except that upon a concurrent resolution duly adopted by a majority of those present and voting in each house, the presiding officer of each house may extend the conference not to exceed an additional three days. In no event shall a conference committee report to each house later than ~~9:00~~ 8:00 P.M. on the sixtieth day.

With respect to any conference agreed to after the fifty-first day of a regular session, or any time during any extraordinary session, the conference committee shall report to each house within three days after agreement to conference or be discharged, except that such conference may be extended by concurrent resolution duly adopted by a majority of those present and voting in each house, for a period not to exceed one additional day. In no event shall a conference committee report to each house later than ~~9:00~~ 8:00 P.M. on the sixtieth day.

Any conference committee which fails to report within the time limits established by this rule shall be deemed to be discharged, and the papers referred shall remain with the house in which the measure originated.

Any conference report shall, upon recognition by the presiding officer, be communicated to each house by its Clerk and made available to members of each house. Each house shall designate a location or office where copies of such report shall be made available. The Clerk shall communicate availability of conference reports by an announcement to the members of said house during ~~the~~ session. Such announcement can be made at any time upon recognition by the presiding officer, and the Clerk shall duly note the time of said announcement. Except as provided herein, the conference report shall lie over one day and shall not be considered in either house until at least the next day following, but thereafter it shall be proper to take up consideration of the conference report at any time otherwise permitted by the rules of such house whether or not such house met on the preceding day: *Provided*, That after the

fifty-ninth day of any regular session or on any day of any extraordinary session a conference committee report may be considered the same day if availability of written copies of such report is communicated to that house while in session at least two hours prior to any consideration: *Provided, however,* That the conference report may be taken up for immediate consideration at any time by a two-thirds vote of the members of that house present.

Nothing herein shall affect the right of the presiding officer of either house to appoint or discharge any conference committee as heretofore provided, such right to appoint and discharge such committee being subject to the rules of each respective house.

The provisions of subsection (b) above shall not apply to the Budget Bill.

### **Messages Between the Houses**

4. When a message is sent by one house to the other, it shall be communicated by the Clerk thereof to the Clerk of the house to which it is sent, but no message shall be received during a call of the roll. The Clerk of one house may communicate a message to the Clerk of the other ~~after adjournment~~ at any time, and any message so sent shall be received by the house to which it is sent whenever it may be in session.

### **Bill Processing**

5. (a) ~~In every regular session beginning after the effective date of this rule, legislation~~ Legislation recommended by the Governor or by executive departments or agencies is requested to be filed in the respective Clerks' offices, and a copy sent to Legislative Services, no later than the tenth day of each regular session of a Legislature.

(b) No bill or joint resolution shall be considered on third reading in its house of origin after the fiftieth day, unless authorization shall

be granted by a concurrent resolution adopted by a two-thirds vote of the members present of both houses: *Provided*, That the Budget Bill, or any salary or supplementary appropriation bills, may be considered at any time.

(c) This rule may be suspended by adopting a concurrent resolution approved by a two-thirds majority of those present and voting in each house. A house desiring to suspend this rule may adopt a concurrent resolution and proceed as if the concurrent resolution had been adopted in both houses and the rule suspended. Any bill or joint resolution passed pursuant to such concurrent resolution may be communicated to the other house with the concurrent resolution or at any time after the concurrent resolution has been communicated to the other house. The other house may proceed to consider such bill or joint resolution only after adopting the concurrent resolution. The provisions of this rule shall not apply to any extended regular session or to any extraordinary session.

### **Processing of Bills Authorizing the Promulgation of Proposed Legislative Rules; Duplication and Distribution of Proposed Legislative Rules**

5a. A “bill authorizing the promulgation of proposed legislative rules” or a “bill of authorization” is a measure intended to be enacted as general law, which incorporates by reference a proposed legislative rule, with or without amendments or substitutions set forth in the bill, and which authorizes the promulgation and implementation of the proposed legislative rule. The processing of bills authorizing the promulgation of proposed legislative rules shall be governed by the standing rules of the Senate and the House of Delegates, which are supplemented by the provisions of this joint rule. In the case of any conflict between this rule and a standing rule of the Senate or the House of Delegates, the provisions of this rule shall control.

(1) The requirement of either house that bills shall be presented in duplicate applies to bills authorizing the promulgation of

proposed legislative rules, but does not apply to the proposed legislative rule which the bill incorporates by reference. Of the duplicate copies, only the designated original copy shall have appended thereto the full text of the proposed legislative rule as finally approved by the agency seeking permission for its promulgation. Other copies of the full text of the proposed legislative rule shall be made available to members of the Legislature as hereinafter provided.

(2) Copies of the full text of each proposed legislative rule shall be reproduced by printing or duplication by the Clerk prior to, or as soon as is reasonably practicable after, the introduction of the bill which would authorize by law the promulgation of the proposed legislative rule. Prior to such printing or duplication, a notation shall be affixed to the proposed legislative rule which identifies the bill number of the introduced bill which would authorize its promulgation and which also identifies the committee or committees of the house to which the bill is to be referred by the presiding officer following its introduction. Otherwise, the copies printed or duplicated shall conform to the copy of the proposed legislative rule appended to the original bill, so as to facilitate the consideration and amendment of the rule throughout the legislative process.

(3) The Clerk shall furnish to any member, upon his or her request, without cost, one copy of the full text of a proposed legislative rule as reproduced by the Clerk in accordance with the provisions of subsection (2) of this ~~joint rule~~ Joint Rule. For any request for an additional copy or copies of the proposed legislative rule, the member requesting the copy or copies shall pay to the Clerk, in advance, a charge which the Clerk has reasonably determined to be adequate to cover the actual cost of the printing or duplication: *Provided*, That the provisions herein for the Clerk to furnish a member with an additional copy or copies, with a cost charged, may not interfere with or delay the prompt and otherwise timely consideration of bills of authorization by the house or its committees or subcommittees.



(4) Whenever the standing rules of either house require the printing or reprinting of a bill, the rules apply to bills authorizing the promulgation of a proposed legislative rule with the same force and effect as they apply to other bills. However, no printing or reprinting of the proposed legislative rule which is incorporated by reference in the bill of authorization shall be required, other than the printing required by subsection (2) of this ~~joint rule~~ Joint Rule.

(5) Whenever the standing rules of either house require a bill to be read, or fully and distinctly read, the rules apply to bills authorizing the promulgation of a proposed legislative rule with the same force and effect as they apply to other bills. However, no reading of the proposed legislative rule which is incorporated by reference in the bill of authorization shall be required.

### **One House to Notify Other of Rejection of Bill**

6. When a bill or resolution passed in one house is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be sent to the house in which the same shall have been passed.

### **Record of Bills and Resolutions**

7. The Clerks of the two houses shall keep separate records or registers, in which shall be recorded every action taken by the Senate and House on each bill and resolution.

### **Clerks to Endorse Bills or Resolutions**

8. The Clerks of the two houses shall endorse on each bill or resolution a statement of any action taken by their respective bodies.

### **Notice Messages to Be in Writing**

9. ~~Notice~~ Messages to either house of the action of the other shall be in writing, signed by the Clerk of the house ~~giving such notice~~ sending the message.

## **Each House to Have Control of Own Printing**

10. Each house may order the printing of ~~bills, resolutions, reports, and other~~ documents without the consent of the other.

## **Joint Committees**

11. Joint standing committees of the Senate and House shall be appointed as follows:

(1) *Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills* – To consist of five members from each house.

(2) *Joint Committee on Joint Rules* – To consist of the presiding officers and two members of each house, to be appointed by the presiding officers.

(3) ~~Such other joint committees as may be provided for by concurrent resolution. A bill or resolution referred to a joint committee may be recalled from such committee by the house in which it originated.~~ *Joint Committee on Pensions and Retirement*

(a) The Joint Committee on Pensions and Retirement shall continually study and investigate public retirement systems. All pension and retirement related legislation introduced in the Legislature shall be referred to the committee in addition to any other reference the presiding officer may designate. Upon reference of any pension or retirement related legislation, the committee shall forward such legislation to the actuary of the Consolidated Public Retirement Board or other actuary or actuarial firm who shall return an actuarial letter or note to the committee prior to the committee's consideration of such legislation.

(b) The committee shall consist of seven members of the Senate to be appointed by the presiding officer of the Senate and seven members of the House of Delegates to be appointed by the presiding officer of the House of Delegates. If possible, no more than five of

the seven members appointed by the presiding officers of the Senate and the House of Delegates, respectively, may be members of the same political party.

(c) The committee shall make a continuing study and investigation of retirement benefit plans applicable to nonfederal government employees in this state. The powers and duties of the committee include, but are not limited to, the following:

(1) Studying retirement benefit plans applicable to nonfederal government employees in the State of West Virginia, including, without limitation, federal plans available to such employees;

(2) Making recommendations within the scope of the study with particular attention to financing of the various pension funds and financing of accrued liabilities;

(3) Considering all aspects of pension planning and operation, and making recommendations designed to establish and maintain sound pension policy as to all funds;

(4) Filing a report to each regular session of the Legislature concerning activities conducted between sessions;

(5) Analyzing each item of proposed pension and retirement legislation, including amendments thereto, with particular reference to analysis as to cost, actuarial soundness and adherence to sound pension policy, and reporting of its findings in regard thereto to the Legislature; and

(6) Maintaining reference materials concerning pension and retirement matters, including, without limitation, information as to laws and systems in other states.

(d) The committee shall hold meetings at such times and places as it may designate. The presiding officer of each house shall appoint a cochair of the committee. When the Legislature is not in

session, the committee shall meet and conduct its business as a joint committee.

When the Legislature is in session, in addition to joint meetings, the members of either house may meet separately from members of the other house to conduct committee business concerning pension and retirement related legislation introduced or originated in that house. When the members meet separately, they may function as other committees of that house. As far as practicable, relevant information, including actuarial letters or notes, gathered by members meeting separately from the other house shall be sent to the cochair of the other house if it is considering the same or similar legislation.

12. Other joint committees may be created by concurrent resolution or by approval of the presiding officers of each house.

### **Engrossed Bills to Be Filed with Clerk of the House**

~~12.~~ 13. All engrossed bills passed by, and joint and concurrent resolutions adopted by, both houses shall be filed with the Clerk of the House of Delegates to be kept with the rolls of the Legislature and to be used ~~by him~~ in printing and publishing the Acts of the Legislature.

### **Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills**

~~13.~~ 14. The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills shall consist of five members of the Senate and five members of the House of Delegates, to be appointed by the presiding officer of each house, whose duty it shall be to compare carefully all bills and joint resolutions passed by both houses, with the enrollment thereof, and to correct any errors or omissions they may discover and to make reports to their respective houses, from time to time, of the correctly enrolled bills or joint resolutions. It shall be in order for the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to report at any time.

### **Printing Enrolled Bills**

~~14:~~ 15. After a bill has been passed by both houses, the type text from which it was originally printed shall be corrected as to any typographical errors that may not previously have been corrected and to include any amendments that may have been made by either house since the last printing of the bill. After the type text has been so corrected, ~~three hundred fifty copies~~ not less than fifty copies of the bill shall be printed (~~except charter bills, of which only twenty-five of each shall be printed~~). Twelve of these copies shall be on seven and one-fourth by ten bond paper, twenty-pound basis of at least fifty percent rag content for the use of the Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, one of which copies, when properly authenticated, shall become the Enrolled Bill, and the remainder shall be on twenty-pound basis, sulphite bond paper. ~~From these copies all judges shall be furnished enrolled bills as provided for in section fourteen, article one, chapter four of the code.~~ In the case of enrolled bills authorizing the promulgation of a proposed legislative rule, a copy of the full text of the proposed legislative rule which the bill incorporates by reference shall be appended to the bill which has been properly authenticated and designated to be the Enrolled Bill. The copy appended to the Enrolled Bill shall conform to the copy of the full text of the proposed legislative rule appended to the introduced bill. Copies of the proposed legislative rule shall not be appended to the additional copies of the Enrolled Bill. Following action by the Governor, or the failure or refusal of the Governor to approve or disapprove a bill of authorization, the copy of the Enrolled Bill with the proposed legislative rule appended shall be the copy of the bill filed with the Secretary of State in accordance with the provisions of Rule ~~18~~ 19 of these Joint Rules.

### **Authentication of Enrolled Bills**

~~15:~~ 16. Enrolled Bills shall be authenticated by the signature of the ~~Chairman~~ Chair of the House Committee and the ~~Chairman~~ Chair of the Senate Committee, composing such Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills, but in the absence of such ~~Chairman~~ Chair another member of the committee may act in his stead, and they shall require

all bills and joint resolutions before such authentication to be free from interlineations or erasures and destroy any previous enrollment containing any interlineations or erasures. A certificate, showing in which house the bill originated and when it takes effect, signed by the Clerks of the two houses, shall be endorsed on the bill. After enrolled bills and joint resolutions are authenticated as aforesaid, they shall be signed by the presiding officer of each house.

### **Presenting Enrolled Bills to Governor**

~~16.~~ 17. After a bill shall have thus been signed in each house, it shall be presented by the ~~said committee~~ Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills to the Governor, for his approval. The said committee shall report the day of presentation to the Governor, which time shall be entered on the Journal of each house.

### **Record of Enrolled Bills**

~~17.~~ 18. It shall be the duty of the Clerk of the House of Delegates, as Keeper of the Rolls of the Legislature, to keep a record book of all bills presented to the Governor for his approval. The title and number of each bill presented to the Governor shall be entered in this book, and when a bill is presented to ~~him~~ the Governor, the date presented and the signature of the Governor, showing receipt of same, shall be entered at the side of each title.

### **Action of Governor on Bills**

~~18.~~ 19. When the Legislature is in session, any bill, including an appropriation bill or any part thereof, disapproved by the Governor shall be returned ~~by him~~ to the house in which it originated, with ~~his~~ objections thereto, within five days after receipt thereof, Sundays excepted, or become a law. If the Legislature, by adjournment, prevents the return of a disapproved bill, other than an appropriation bill, within such time, it shall be filed by the Governor in the office of the Secretary of State with ~~his~~ objections within fifteen days, Sundays excepted, after adjournment, or become a law. If the

Legislature, by adjournment, prevents the return of a disapproved appropriation bill or any part thereof, it shall be filed by the Governor in the office of the Secretary of State with his objections within five days after adjournment, or become a law. When any bill, including an appropriation bill or any part thereof, is disapproved after adjournment of the Legislature and such bill with the Governor's objections is filed in the office of the Secretary of State within the prescribed time as aforesaid, the Governor shall notify the house in which the bill originated ~~of his action~~.

Every bill approved by the Governor shall, within the prescribed time after it is presented ~~to him~~, as aforesaid, be filed by the Governor in the office of the Secretary of State and the fact of such approval communicated by the Governor to the house in which said bill originated.

Any bill which shall be neither approved nor disapproved by the Governor shall immediately, after the expiration of the time fixed by the Constitution of West Virginia in which he may disapprove the same, be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, who shall forthwith engross thereon a certificate to the following effect: "I certify that the foregoing act, having been presented to the Governor for his approval, and not having been returned ~~by him~~ to the house of the Legislature in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the State, has become a law without his approval;" and shall date and sign the same. The Governor shall notify the house in which the bill originated of each bill becoming a law without his approval.

When a bill is returned to either house of the Legislature with the objections of the Governor, proceedings thereon shall be governed by ~~section fourteen, article seven~~ Article VII, Section 14 of the ~~State~~ Constitution of West Virginia. In such cases the Clerk of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Delegates shall engross the action, if any, of their respective houses on the reconsideration of the bill; and sign the same.

The action of the Governor on all bills presented ~~to him~~ shall be appropriately noted in the Journals of the two houses.

### **Joint Meetings of Committees**

~~19.~~ 20. Whenever any bill has been referred by the Senate to one of its standing committees, and the same or like bill has been referred by the House to one of its committees, the ~~Chairmen~~ Chairs of the respective committees, when in their judgment the interest of legislation or the expedition of business will be better served thereby, may arrange for a joint meeting of their committees for the consideration of such bill. All joint committee meetings shall be presided over by the ~~Chairman~~ Chair of the Senate committee.

### **What Shall Be Printed in the Journal**

~~20.~~ 21. The following shall always be printed in the Journal of each house:

(a) Messages from the Governor and messages from the other house, the titles of all bills and the title and text of all resolutions.

(b) A record of all votes taken by yeas and nays as required by the Constitution of West Virginia, the rules of the respective houses and these rules; and a brief statement of the contents of each petition, memorial; or paper presented to each house.

(c) A true and accurate account of the proceedings of each house.

### **Manner of Printing the Journal and Bills**

~~21.~~ 22. In printing the daily Journal of the proceedings of each house there shall be printed at the top of each page, except the first, the date of the Journal; and on the last page of each day's Journal shall be printed the calendar for the next day.



At the top of the first page of each bill, preceding the title and number thereof, there shall be printed the name of the person by whom, or the committee by which, it was introduced and the date of introduction; and at the top of each page, except the first, shall be printed the number of the bill.

### **Regulation and Use of Legislative Offices, Chambers, Halls, Stairways and Corridors**

~~22.~~ 23. The presiding officer of each house shall have power to assign and regulate the office space in the portions of the Capitol used by their respective houses and to grant permission for the use of such space and the legislative Chambers for other than legislative purposes. They shall also have jurisdiction over all halls, stairways and corridors in the areas used by their respective houses. The presiding officers may submit any question or request arising under the foregoing provisions of this rule to the Committee on Rules of their respective houses for determination and action.

The area on the second floor between the legislative Chambers and surrounding the rotunda on the second floor shall be under the jurisdiction of the Joint Committee on Rules. It shall be the duty of this committee to maintain and preserve the aesthetic features of this area of the Capitol. No display or exhibition of any material or objects in this area shall be permitted without approval of the committee.

Attaching pictures, posters, cards or placards on the walls in any manner whatsoever in the halls, stairways and corridors in the areas used by the respective houses and in the area between the legislative Chambers surrounding and to the east and west of the rotunda is prohibited.

### **Resolutions**

~~23.~~ 24. Resolutions requiring concurrent action may originate in either house; and shall be of two kinds, namely:

*Joint Resolutions:* These resolutions shall be used for proposing amendments to the ~~State~~ Constitution of West Virginia and for ratifying amendments to the Constitution of the United States. Joint resolutions proposing amendments to the ~~State~~ Constitution of West Virginia shall be adopted as provided in ~~section two, article fourteen~~ Article XIV, Section 2 of said Constitution.

*Concurrent Resolutions:* Such resolutions shall be used for all purposes not covered by joint resolutions as defined above.

### **Suspension of Joint Rules**

~~24: 25. No Joint Rule shall~~ Joint Rules may only be suspended; ~~except by a two-thirds vote of each house, and unless there be unanimous consent, such vote shall be taken by yeas and nays, or by unanimous consent.~~

### **Transfer Amounts Between Items**

~~25: 26.~~ 26. The Clerk of the Senate, with the approval of the presiding officer, is authorized to make written request to the State Auditor for the transfer of amounts between items of the total appropriations for the Senate; in order to protect or increase the efficiency of the service. Upon receipt of such written request, the State Auditor shall transfer the amounts as requested.

~~26: 27.~~ 27. The Clerk of the House of Delegates, with the approval of the presiding officer, is authorized to make written request to the State Auditor for the transfer of amounts between items of the total appropriations for the House of Delegates; in order to protect or increase the efficiency of the service. Upon receipt of such written request, the State Auditor shall transfer the amounts as requested.

~~27: 28.~~ 28. The Clerk of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Delegates, with the approval of the presiding officers, are authorized to make a joint written request to the State Auditor for the transfer of amounts between items of the total appropriations for joint

expenses of the Legislature; in order to protect or increase the efficiency of the service. Upon receipt of such written request, the State Auditor shall transfer the amounts as requested.

### **Lobbying**

~~28. (Rescinded by SCR2, 2nd Ex. Sess., 1990)~~

### **Joint Committee on Pensions and Retirement**

~~29. (a) A joint standing committee of the Senate and House of Delegates, named the Joint Committee on Pensions and Retirement, shall continually study and investigate public retirement systems. All pension and retirement related legislation introduced in the Legislature shall be referred to the committee in addition to any other reference the presiding officer may designate. Upon reference of any pension or retirement related legislation, the committee shall forward such legislation to the actuary of the Consolidated Public Retirement Board or other actuary or actuarial firm who shall return an actuarial letter or note to the committee prior to the committee's consideration of such legislation.~~

~~(b) The committee shall consist of seven members of the Senate to be appointed by the presiding officer of the Senate and seven members of the House of Delegates to be appointed by the presiding officer of the House of Delegates. If possible, no more than five of the seven members appointed by the presiding officers of the Senate and the House of Delegates, respectively, may be members of the same political party.~~

~~(c) The committee shall make a continuing study and investigation of retirement benefit plans applicable to non-federal government employees in this state. The powers and duties of the committee include, but are not limited to, the following:~~

~~(1) Studying retirement benefit plans applicable to non-federal government employees in the state of West Virginia, including, without limitation, federal plans available to such employees;~~

~~(2) Making recommendations within the scope of the study with particular attention to financing of the various pension funds and financing of accrued liabilities;~~

~~(3) Considering all aspects of pension planning and operation, and making recommendations designed to establish and maintain sound pension policy as to all funds;~~

~~(4) Filing a report to each regular session of the Legislature concerning activities conducted between sessions;~~

~~(5) Analyzing each item of proposed pension and retirement legislation, including amendments thereto, with particular reference to analysis as to cost, actuarial soundness, and adherence to sound pension policy, and reporting of its findings in regard thereto to the Legislature; and~~

~~(6) Maintaining reference materials concerning pension and retirement matters, including, without limitation, information as to laws and systems in other states.~~

~~(d) The committee shall hold meetings at such times and places as it may designate. The presiding officer of each house shall appoint a co-chair of the committee. When the Legislature is not in session, the committee shall meet and conduct its business as a joint committee.~~

~~When the Legislature is in session, in addition to joint meetings, the members of either house may meet separately from members of the other house to conduct committee business concerning pension and retirement related legislation introduced or originated in that house. When the members meet separately, they may function as other committees of that house. As far as practicable, relevant information, including actuarial letters or notes, gathered by members meeting separately from the other house shall be sent to the co-chair of the other house if it is considering the same or similar legislation.~~

**Bill Carryover**

~~30. (Rescinded by SCR 1, Reg. Sess., 1988)~~

**Governing Powers**

~~31.~~ 29. The presiding officers of each house, as selected in accordance with the Constitution of West Virginia, the Rules of the Senate, the Rules of the House of Delegates, respectively, these Joint Rules; and laws of the State, shall have the power to and are hereby authorized to act on behalf of the Legislature as required by the business and legal affairs of the Legislature unless otherwise directed by a majority vote of both houses while the Legislature is in session or by the majority vote of the Joint Committee on Government and Finance while the Legislature is not in session.

**Receipt of Constitutional Petitions and Resolutions**

~~32.~~ 30. Any application from a county commission or a verified petition from the voters of a county seeking to reform, alter or modify a county commission pursuant to Article IX, Section 13 of the ~~West Virginia~~ Constitution of West Virginia and any related documents that may be subsequently submitted shall be filed with the Clerk of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Delegates. The Clerk of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Delegates shall verify that the application, petition or related document has been properly submitted to the other ~~clerk~~ Clerk before processing it in his or her respective house. Such applications, petitions and related documents not submitted to both the Clerk of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Delegates will not be submitted to either house for processing or consideration by the Legislature.

When the Legislature is not sitting in regular session, upon receipt of an application, petition or related document from a county commission by the Clerk of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Delegates, it shall be processed as a regular order of business at the next regular session following receipt of the application, petition or related document.

~~Effective with the 2009 regular session of the Legislature, an~~ An application or petition to reform, alter or modify a county commission filed with the Legislature on or after the tenth day of a regular legislative session may not be processed or considered by the Legislature until the next regular legislative session.

An application or petition to reform, alter or modify a county commission filed with the Legislature is only valid for the session in which it was processed and such application or petition not acted upon during that session is null and void.

If an application or petition to reform, alter or modify a county commission filed with the Legislature is determined by the Legislature to have an unconstitutional provision, then the Legislature may: (a) Request that the application or petition be corrected and resubmitted; or (b) make changes necessary to meet the constitutional objection. A corrected application or petition may be processed by the Legislature if there is sufficient time remaining in the session for full consideration. If any request by the Legislature to correct an application or petition prevents full consideration of that application or petition during the session in which it would have been considered, the Senate and the House of Delegates ~~and the Senate~~ may process the corrected application or petition at the next regular session.

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

The question being on the adoption of the resolution, the same was put and prevailed.

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

At the request of Senator Romano, and by unanimous consent, the Senate returned to the second order of business and the introduction of guests.

The Senate then proceeded to the seventh order of business.

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 11**, Requesting Joint Committee on Government and Finance study workplace safety at state-operated behavioral health facilities.

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

The Senate proceeded to the eighth order of business.

**Eng. Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 43**, Limiting tolling of statute of limitations for third-party complaints.

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

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

The nays were: None.

Absent: Yost—1.

So, a majority of all the members present and voting having voted in the affirmative, the President declared the bill (Eng. Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 43) passed with its title.

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

The Senate proceeded to the ninth order of business.

**Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 13**, Reinstating open and obvious doctrine for premises liability.

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**Eng. Com. Sub. for House Bill No. 2001**, Repealing portions of the Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act.

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

The Senate proceeded to the tenth order of business.

**Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 8**, Providing for DOH performance and efficiency audit.

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

The Senate then proceeded to the twelfth order of business.

Remarks were made by Senators Miller, M. Hall and D. Hall.

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

The Senate next proceeded to the thirteenth order of business.

At the request of Senator Walters, the name of Senator Walters was removed as a sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 286** (*Relating to compulsory immunizations of students; exemptions*).

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



Pending announcement of meetings of standing committees of the Senate,

On motion of Senator Carmichael, the Senate adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday, January 27, 2015, at 11 a.m.

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- 44. Lowering threshold for low bidder's duty to submit subcontractors on government contracts.
- 76. Creating Equal Pay Coordinator within Division of Personnel.
- 96. Relating to selection of state agency administrative hearing examiners.
- 260. Providing purchases of state materials, supplies, equipment, etc., be made in US.

**GOVERNOR-BILLS REQUESTED BY:**

- 233. Budget Bill.
- 240. Updating terms in Personal Income Tax Act.
- 241. Updating terms in Corporation Net Income Tax Act.
- 242. Creating criminal penalties for automated telephone calls causing harm during state of emergency or preparedness.
- 243. Relating to school nutrition standards during state of emergency or preparedness.
- 254. Relating to Fire, EMS and Law-Enforcement Officer Survivor Benefit Act.
- 255. Eliminating certain boards, councils, task forces, commissions and committees.
- 262. Transferring CHIP and Children's Health Insurance Agency from Department of Administration to DHHR.
- 264. Reducing severance tax proceeds dedicated to Infrastructure General Obligation Debt Service Fund.
- 265. Reducing distribution of excess lottery proceeds to Infrastructure Fund; increasing funds available for grants.
- 266. Eliminating sales tax exemption on certain highway construction and maintenance materials.
- 267. Repealing code relating to Governor's Office of Health Enhancement and Lifestyle Planning.
- 268. Terminating dedication of corporation net income tax proceeds to railroads.
- 273. Relating to brewer, resident brewer and brewpub licensing and operations.
- 274. Relating to TANF program.
- 288. Relating to public school financing.
- 303. Reducing sales tax proceeds dedicated to School Major Improvement Fund and School Construction Fund.

**HAZARDOUS MATERIALS:**

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

**HEALTH:**

- 6. Relating to medical professional liability.
- 7. Requiring CPR and care for conscious choking instruction in public schools.
- 20. Allowing public health agencies to bill patients for STD and HIV testing.
- 21. Expanding prescriptive authority of advanced nurse practitioners and certified nurse-midwives.



- 48. Modifying health care guidelines for reasonable, necessary medical treatment for injured workers.
- 58. Relating to delivery of workers' compensation medical benefits to injured workers.
- 64. Providing exemption from moratorium on skilled nursing beds for specialty skilled nursing beds.
- 84. Redefining "third-party administrator" to include pharmacy benefits managers.
- 120. Recodifying laws relating to DHHR and Bureau for Medical Services.
- 132. Reducing school nurse staffing ratio.
- 232. Providing for expedited partner therapy.
- 244. Creating Caregiver Advise, Record and Enable Act.
- 262. Transferring CHIP and Children's Health Insurance Agency from Department of Administration to DHHR.
- 267. Repealing code relating to Governor's Office of Health Enhancement and Lifestyle Planning.
- 270. Amending criteria for pain management clinic designation.
- 277. Requiring issuance of certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth.
- 286. Relating to compulsory immunizations of students; exemptions.
- 295. Establishing appeal process for DHHR Board of Review and Bureau for Medical Services decisions.

**HUMAN SERVICES:**

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

**INFRASTRUCTURE:**

- 264. Reducing severance tax proceeds dedicated to Infrastructure General Obligation Debt Service Fund.

**INSURANCE-HEALTH:**

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

**INSURANCE-MOTOR VEHICLES:**

- 32. Requiring certain percentage of insurance claims be performed by resident adjuster.
- 248. Requiring certain insurance and owner information be provided following car accident.

**INTERIM STUDIES:**

- 140. Amending State Administrative Procedures Act.
- 230. Creating Overdose Prevention Act.
- 231. Allowing certain law-enforcement and public safety personnel to possess and administer opioid antagonist.
- 232. Providing for expedited partner therapy.

- 239. Eliminating certain boards, councils, task forces, commissions and committees.
- 244. Creating Caregiver Advise, Record and Enable Act.
- 304. Relating to farmers markets.

**LABOR:**

- 11. Relating to workers' compensation disbursements when injury is self inflicted or intentional; permitting recovery in private suit.
- 12. Relating to payment of separated employee's outstanding wages.
- 48. Modifying health care guidelines for reasonable, necessary medical treatment for injured workers.
- 49. Providing liberal weighing of evidence in workers' compensation claims.
- 50. Relating to workers' compensation benefits for firefighters; other provisions.
- 51. Relating to workers' compensation benefits for occupational pneumoconiosis.
- 56. Declaring remedial component of workers' compensation laws receive liberal construction.
- 57. Relating to classification and criteria for disability benefits.
- 58. Relating to delivery of workers' compensation medical benefits to injured workers.
- 74. Requiring employee be paid workers' compensation maximum temporary total disability benefits for lost time without penalty.
- 80. Creating State Labor Relations Act.
- 88. Creating WV Clearance for Access: Registry and Employment Screening Act.
- 100. Establishing prevailing hourly rates for construction of public improvements.
- 102. Extending period that terminated employees' wages must be paid.
- 105. Disqualifying unemployment benefits for time not worked because of strike.
- 245. Repealing requirement for prevailing wage payment for public improvement construction.
- 251. Modifying private cause of action for deliberate intention workers' compensation claims.
- 279. Clarifying qualifications of Labor Commissioner.
- 307. Creating Paycheck Protection Act.

**LAW ENFORCEMENT:**

- 9. Allowing law enforcement and emergency service personnel possess opioid antagonists.
- 92. Providing salary increase for natural resources police officers.
- 114. Requiring municipal police officers wear armor vest.
- 119. Relating to meeting and conference rights for police or fire departments.
- 231. Allowing certain law-enforcement and public safety personnel to possess and administer opioid antagonist.
- 254. Relating to Fire, EMS and Law-Enforcement Officer Survivor Benefit Act.
- 284. Relating to chief law-enforcement officer's requirement to certify transfer or making of certain firearms.
- 299. Clarifying start date of State Police duty-related disability payments.
- 301. Modifying definition of "member" in Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System.

**LEGISLATURE:**

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

**LEGISLATURE–RULE MAKING:**

- 140. Amending State Administrative Procedures Act.
- 141. Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to state-owned vehicles.
- 142. Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to Purchasing Division.
- 143. Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to operation plan for State Agency for Surplus Property.
- 144. Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to refund, reinstatement, retroactive service, loan and employer error interest factors.
- 145. Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to Deputy Sheriffs Retirement System.
- 146. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to defining terms used in hunting and trapping rules.
- 147. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to hunting, trapping and fishing license and stamp fees.
- 148. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to general hunting.
- 149. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to lifetime hunting, trapping and fishing licenses.
- 150. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to wildlife damage control agents.
- 151. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to special boating.
- 152. Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to commercial whitewater outfitters.
- 153. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to Amusement Rides and Amusement Attractions Safety Act.
- 154. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to child labor.
- 155. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to supervision of plumbing work.
- 156. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to verification of legal employment status.
- 157. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to regulation of heating, venting and cooling work.
- 158. Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to weights and measures calibration fees.

159. Authorizing Division of Forestry promulgate legislative rule relating to ginseng.
160. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to Stream Partners Program grants.
161. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to hazardous waste management system.
162. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to control of air pollution from hazardous waste treatment, storage and disposal facilities.
163. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to standards of performance for new stationary sources.
164. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to permits for construction and major modification of major stationary sources for prevention of significant deterioration of air quality.
165. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to waste management.
166. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to WV/NPDES rule for coal mining facilities.
167. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to requirements governing water quality standards.
168. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to emission standards for hazardous air pollutants.
169. Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to requirements for operating permits.
170. Authorizing OMHST promulgate legislative rule relating to employee safety in and around quarries.
171. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to chronic pain management clinic licensure.
172. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to Fatality and Mortality Review Team.
173. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to medication administration and performance of health maintenance tasks by approved medication assistive personnel.
174. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to nurse aid abuse and neglect registry.
175. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to public water systems.
176. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to nursing home licensure.
177. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to statewide trauma/emergency care system.
178. Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to domestic violence program licensure standards.
179. Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to Monitored Parenting and Exchange Program certification.
180. Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to board operation.

181. Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to perpetrator intervention programs licensure for correctional institutions.
182. Authorizing State Police promulgate legislative rule relating to DNA databank regulations and procedures.
183. Authorizing Office of Technology promulgate legislative rule relating to sanitization, retirement and disposition of equipment.
184. Authorizing State Fire Commission promulgate legislative rule relating to volunteer firefighters' training, equipment and operating standards.
185. Authorizing State Fire Marshal promulgate legislative rule relating to fire protection work supervision.
186. Authorizing Tax Department promulgate legislative rule relating to appointment of special assessors.
187. Authorizing Racing Commission promulgate legislative rule relating to thoroughbred racing.
188. Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to using mortality tables to determine reserve liabilities for annuities.
189. Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to annuity disclosure.
190. Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to nonintoxicating beer licensing and operations procedures.
191. Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to private club licensing.
192. Authorizing DMV promulgate legislative rule relating to examination and issuance of driver's licenses.
193. Authorizing Office of Administrative Hearings promulgate legislative rule relating to appeal procedures.
194. Authorizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction promulgate legislative rule relating to law-enforcement training and certification standards.
195. Authorizing Conservation Committee promulgate legislative rule relating to financial assistance programs.
196. Authorizing Real Estate Appraiser Licensing and Certification Board promulgate legislative rule relating to registration and renewal of appraisal management companies.
197. Authorizing Board of Medicine promulgate legislative rule relating to licensure, disciplinary and complaint procedures; continuing education; physician assistants.
198. Authorizing Enterprise Resource Planning Board promulgate legislative rule relating to user fee.
199. Authorizing Board of Registration for Professional Engineers promulgate legislative rule relating to examination, licensure and practice.
200. Authorizing Board of Physical Therapy promulgate legislative rule relating to fees for physical therapists and physical therapist assistants.
201. Authorizing Board of Osteopathy promulgate legislative rule relating to board fees.
202. Authorizing Board of Osteopathic Medicine promulgate legislative rule relating to osteopathic physician assistants.

203. Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to immunizations administered by pharmacists.
204. Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to pharmacy technician registration.
205. Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to controlled substances monitoring.
206. Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to formation and approval of professional limited liability companies.
207. Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to board.
208. Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to dental recovery networks.
209. Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to formation and approval of dental corporations and dental practice ownership.
210. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to frozen desserts and imitation frozen desserts.
211. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to animal disease control.
212. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to auctioneers.
213. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Pesticide Control Act of 1990 fee structure.
214. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Plant Pest Act.
215. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to meat and poultry inspection.
216. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Spay Neuter Assistance Program.
217. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to livestock care standards.
218. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to equine rescue facilities.
219. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Rural Rehabilitation Loan Program.
220. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to aquaculture importation.
221. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to industrial hemp.
222. Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to dangerous wild animals.
223. Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to licensure and practice of pharmacy.
224. Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to election recount procedures.

- 225. Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to electronic notarization standards and guidelines.
- 226. Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to notaries public.
- 227. Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to schedule of fees for notaries public.
- 228. Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to perpetrator intervention programs licensure.
- 229. Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to service credit for accrued and unused sick and annual leave.

**LEVIES:**

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

**LIABILITY:**

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

**LIBRARIES:**

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

**LIENS:**

- 281. Creating system of judicial sale of tax liens.

**MILITARY AFFAIRS:**

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

**MINES AND MINERALS:**

- 51. Relating to workers' compensation benefits for occupational pneumoconiosis.

- 72. Establishing additional circumstances requiring miner certification suspension or revocation for substance abuse violations.

**MISCELLANEOUS:**

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

**MOTOR VEHICLES:**

- 17. Regulating unlicensed off-road motorcycles within Hatfield-McCoy Recreation Area.
- 59. Creating felony offense of knowingly leaving crash scene resulting in serious bodily injury.
- 87. Relating to standards for conversion and retrofits of alternative-fuel motor vehicles.
- 91. Creating amnesty program for certain drivers with suspended licenses.
- 94. Establishing driver's license restoration program.
- 107. Relating to disclaimer of warranties for used motor vehicles.
- 118. Permitting certain loaded firearms in motor vehicles on Capitol Complex grounds.
- 259. Relating to examination, licensing and endorsement requirements for autocycles.
- 293. Increasing fees for certain DMV services and documents.

**MUNICIPALITIES:**

- 114. Requiring municipal police officers wear armor vest.
- 272. Decreasing number of jurors on municipal jury.

**NATURAL RESOURCES:**

- 77. Relating to Class C courtesy statewide hunting and fishing licenses for certain military personnel.
- 79. Relating to Class C courtesy statewide hunting and fishing licenses for certain military personnel.
- 92. Providing salary increase for natural resources police officers.
- 138. Relating to posting of property to prohibit hunting or trespassing.
- 261. Clarifying definition of "owner" of dam.
- 276. Terminating severance tax on timber.
- 278. Relating to lawful and unlawful methods of hunting.
- 311. Changing Coopers Rock State Forest to Coopers Rock State Park.

**PARKS AND RECREATION:**

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

**PORNOGRAPHY:**

- 128. Revising definition of "obscene matter".



**PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS:**

- 21. Expanding prescriptive authority of advanced nurse practitioners and certified nurse-midwives.
- 22. Relating to Board of Examiners for Registered Professional Nurses membership.
- 83. Relating to funeral service and embalmer licenses.
- 106. Excepting professional engineer member from sanitary board when project engineer under contract.
- 126. Relating to practice of psychology.

**PUBLIC EMPLOYEES:**

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

**REAL PROPERTY:**

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

**REGULATION OF TRADE:**

- 123. Exempting motor fuel sales from unfair trade practices.

**RETIREMENT:**

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

**ROADS AND HIGHWAYS:**

- 41. Repealing article authorizing roadside memorial markers.
- 54. Requiring certification of state bridge paint applicators.

**TAXATION:**

- 34. Exempting certain precious metals sales from consumers' sales tax.

- 45. Allowing transfer of interest in real property when certain co-owner pays all taxes.
- 53. Exempting military, National Guard and reserve income from state income taxes.
- 85. Increasing tax exemption for military, National Guard and reserve retirement income.
- 95. Creating tax exemption for cost of spaying and neutering dogs and cats.
- 98. Creating Tax Revenue Act of 2015.
- 116. Relating to solar renewable energy credits.
- 124. Redistributing and dedicating excise tax on real property transfers to regional jails.
- 127. Creating tax refund checkoff program for Cedar Lakes Foundation.
- 130. Reinstating residential solar energy tax credit.
- 240. Updating terms in Personal Income Tax Act.
- 241. Updating terms in Corporation Net Income Tax Act.
- 266. Eliminating sales tax exemption on certain highway construction and maintenance materials.
- 269. Creating flood zone homestead property tax exemption.
- 276. Terminating severance tax on timber.
- 310. Exempting nonprofit public utility companies from B&O tax.

**TOBACCO AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS:**

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

**TOURISM:**

- 17. Regulating unlicensed off-road motorcycles within Hatfield-McCoy Recreation Area.
- 26. Discontinuing moratorium on commercial rafting licenses for portion of New River.
- 282. Relating to National Coal Heritage Area Authority.

**TRANSPORTATION:**

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

**UNIFORM LAWS:**

- 292. Relating to licenses for business of currency exchange, transportation or transmission.

**UTILITIES:**

- 234. Exempting water and sewer utilities owned by political subdivisions from PSC jurisdiction.
- 310. Exempting nonprofit public utility companies from B&O tax.

**VENDORS:**

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

**WATER RESOURCES:**

- 61. Creating Water Sustainability Institute.

# HISTORY OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS CONSIDERED BY SENATE

**Includes actions as of January 26, 2015**

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## SENATE BILLS INTRODUCED

(This digest embraces the complete bill list submitted.

If passed, all effective ninety days from passage unless otherwise indicated.)

- \*1. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President), Boley, Carmichael, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, Karnes, Leonhardt, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Walters, Blair, Plymale, Kirkendoll, Stollings and Takubo - **Repealing Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act; creating net metering of customer-generators** (original same as H. B. No. 2001 - similar to H. B. No. 2106 and H. B. No. 2201) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining - Com. sub. reported 1/19/15 - Amended - Passed Senate with amended title 1/21/15 - To House 1/22/15 - To Energy then Judiciary
2. By Sen. Gaunch, Carmichael, Ferns, Karnes, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Blair and Cole (Mr. President) - **Predicating actions for damages upon comparative fault principles** (original same as H. B. No. 2002) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
3. By Sen. Palumbo, Leonhardt, Boley, Ferns, D. Hall, Karnes, Maynard, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Blair, Williams, Plymale, Kirkendoll, Stollings and Cole (Mr. President) - **Relating to real property possessor's liability for trespasser harm** (original same as H. B. No. 2003) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary - Passed Senate 1/21/15 - To House 1/22/15 - To Judiciary - On 1st reading, Daily Calendar 1/27/15
4. By Sen. Mullins, Boley, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Karnes, Leonhardt, Sypolt, Blair, Kirkendoll, Stollings and Cole (Mr. President) - **Relating to development of state plan under Clean Air Act** (original same as H. B. No. 2004) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining
5. By Sen. Nohe, Karnes, Sypolt, Trump, Walters, Blair, Plymale, Cole (Mr. President) and Takubo - **Creating teacher corps program** (original same as H. B. No. 2005) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education
6. By Sen. Ferns, Boley, Carmichael, Gaunch, Leonhardt, Mullins, Nohe, Trump, Blair, Plymale, Stollings, Cole (Mr. President) and Takubo - **Relating to medical professional liability** (original same as H. B. No. 2006) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
7. By Sen. Stollings, Boley, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Walters, Blair, Plymale, Unger, Kirkendoll, Kessler, Facemire, Cole (Mr. President), Takubo and Williams -

**Requiring CPR and care for conscious choking instruction in public schools** (original same as H. B. No. 2007) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education

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

17. By Sen. Stollings, Beach, Plymale, Kirkendoll, Facemire and Romano - **Regulating unlicensed off-road motorcycles within Hatfield-McCoy Recreation Area** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Government Organization
18. By Sen. Stollings, Laird, Plymale, Kirkendoll and Kessler - **Creating Overdose Prevention Act** (original similar to H. B. No. 2045) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
19. By Sen. Plymale - **Specifying minimum early childhood education program instruction days** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
20. By Sen. Stollings - **Allowing public health agencies to bill patients for STD and HIV testing** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
21. By Sen. Beach, Blair and Leonhardt - **Expanding prescriptive authority of advanced nurse practitioners and certified nurse-midwives** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization
22. By Sen. Beach - **Relating to Board of Examiners for Registered Professional Nurses membership** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
23. By Sen. Blair - **Requiring licensure of bartenders by ABCC** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
24. By Sen. Blair, Gaunch and Sypolt - **Prohibiting public officials and employees from using public funds for self promotion** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
25. By Sen. Boley and Blair - **Relating to implementation of Common Core standards and assessments** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
26. By Sen. D. Hall and Karnes - **Discontinuing moratorium on commercial rafting licenses for portion of New River** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources
27. By Sen. D. Hall - **Relating to county solid waste disposal fees; exemption** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
28. By Sen. D. Hall - **Requiring health insurance coverage for certain nonnarcotic pain relief systems** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance
29. By Sen. D. Hall - **Allowing county employee to run for vacant office without resigning** (original same as hb 2229) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
30. By Sen. D. Hall, Trump, Blair, Williams and Karnes - **Permitting sale of raw milk** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Health and Human Resources

31. By Sen. D. Hall - **Relating to bailpiece surety** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
32. By Sen. D. Hall - **Requiring certain percentage of insurance claims be performed by resident adjuster** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
33. By Sen. D. Hall - **Decreasing teacher-pupil ratios; increasing certain classroom aides' pay** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
34. By Sen. Nohe, Sypolt and Karnes - **Exempting certain precious metals sales from consumers' sales tax** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
35. By Sen. Leonhardt and Karnes - **Permitting carrying of concealed weapons without license** (original same as H. B. No. 2145) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
36. By Sen. Palumbo, Laird and Facemire - **Correcting code reference regarding certain court personnel completing handgun safety requirements before carrying concealed handgun** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
37. By Sen. Palumbo - **Relating to arbitration** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
38. By Sen. Palumbo - **Relating to apportionment of damages in tortious conduct actions** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
39. By Sen. Beach - **Relating to closure and sale of Clements State Tree Nursery** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
40. By Sen. Beach and D. Hall - **Clarifying circumstances when person may possess certain firearms during outdoor recreational activities** (original similar to H. B. No. 2178) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
41. By Sen. Beach - **Repealing article authorizing roadside memorial markers** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
42. By Sen. Beach and Williams - **Permitting sale of alcoholic beverages on Sundays prior to 1 p.m.** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
- \*43. By Sen. Palumbo - **Limiting tolling of statute of limitations for third-party complaints** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary - Com. sub. reported 1/21/15 - Passed Senate 1/26/15
44. By Sen. Yost - **Lowering threshold for low bidder's duty to submit subcontractors on government contracts** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Government Organization
45. By Sen. Yost, Facemire and Romano - **Allowing transfer of interest in real property when certain co-owner pays all taxes** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary

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

59. By Sen. Yost and Miller - **Creating felony offense of knowingly leaving crash scene resulting in serious bodily injury** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
60. By Sen. Williams and Sypolt - **Requiring food handler examinations and cards** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization
61. By Sen. Walters - **Creating Water Sustainability Institute** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
62. By Sen. Unger and Miller - **Requiring Department of Education provide professional development opportunities for dyslexia** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
63. By Sen. Stollings and Kirkendoll - **Redefining facilities eligible for funding assistance from Courthouse Facilities Improvement Authority** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
64. By Sen. Stollings, Plymale and Kirkendoll - **Providing exemption from moratorium on skilled nursing beds for specialty skilled nursing beds** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources
65. By Sen. M. Hall and Karnes - **Authorizing additional circuit court judge** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
66. By Sen. Stollings - **Revising fees for manufacturer, distributor, dispenser and researcher of controlled substances** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance
67. By Sen. Stollings - **Establishing child support insurance match program** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Finance
68. By Sen. Unger, Laird, Miller and Kirkendoll - **Creating Healthy Children and Healthy Communities Act** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance
69. By Sen. Unger, Laird, Miller and Kirkendoll - **Requiring public school screening for dyslexia** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
70. By Sen. Williams and Sypolt - **Authorizing additional family court judge** (original similar to H. B. No. 2108) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
71. By Sen. Williams, Beach, Laird and Miller - **Requiring filing fee for write-in candidate for public office** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary



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

85. By Sen. Yost, Beach, D. Hall, Laird, Facemire and Romano - **Increasing tax exemption for military, National Guard and reserve retirement income** (original similar to S. B. No. 53) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Military then Finance
86. By Sen. Unger and Beach - **Regulating equine boarding facilities** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
87. By Sen. Plymale - **Relating to standards for conversion and retrofits of alternative-fuel motor vehicles** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
88. By Sen. Stollings and Plymale - **Creating WV Clearance for Access: Registry and Employment Screening Act** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance
89. By Sen. Laird and Miller - **Providing Prosecuting Attorneys Institute's council establish Executive Director's salary** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
90. By Sen. Laird, Snyder, D. Hall, Unger, Facemire and Romano - **Promoting development of corporate sponsorships for state parks and recreational areas** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
91. By Sen. Laird, Miller, Stollings, Facemire and Romano - **Creating amnesty program for certain drivers with suspended licenses** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance
92. By Sen. Laird, Snyder, D. Hall, Sypolt, Plymale, Unger and Miller - **Providing salary increase for natural resources police officers** (original same as H. B. No. 2071 - similar to H. B. No. 2072) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
93. By Sen. Laird, Beach, D. Hall, Unger, Miller, Stollings, Facemire and Romano - **Increasing grandparents' rights in custodial or decision-making authority and visitation matters** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
94. By Sen. Laird, Miller, Stollings, Facemire and Romano - **Establishing driver's license restoration program** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
95. By Sen. Laird, Beach, Stollings, Facemire, Romano and Nohe - **Creating tax exemption for cost of spaying and neutering dogs and cats** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
96. By Sen. Laird - **Relating to selection of state agency administrative hearing examiners** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
97. By Sen. Laird - **Relating to air-ambulance fees paid by PEIA** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Finance

98. By Sen. Carmichael - **Creating Tax Revenue Act of 2015** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
99. By Sen. Carmichael, D. Hall and Blair - **Relating to mandatory drug testing of legislators and certain recipients of federal and state funds** (original similar to H. B. No. 2012) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
100. By Sen. Carmichael, Blair and Mullins - **Establishing prevailing hourly rates for construction of public improvements** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
101. By Sen. Carmichael and Gaunch - **Limiting punitive damages awarded in personal injury or wrongful death actions** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
102. By Sen. Carmichael - **Extending period that terminated employees' wages must be paid** (original similar to H. B. No. 2012 and S. B. No. 12) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
103. By Sen. Carmichael and Mullins - **Establishing comparative fault standard** (original similar to H. B. No. 2002 and S. B. No. 2) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
104. By Sen. Carmichael - **Increasing threshold of defendant's liability to qualify for several liability in tortious actions** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
105. By Sen. Carmichael and Karnes - **Disqualifying unemployment benefits for time not worked because of strike** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
106. By Sen. Carmichael - **Excepting professional engineer member from sanitary board when project engineer under contract** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
107. By Sen. Carmichael - **Relating to disclaimer of warranties for used motor vehicles** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
108. By Sen. Carmichael - **Creating loser-pays civil justice system** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
109. By Sen. Blair and Leonhardt - **Exempting certain veterans' organizations and active duty military organizations from indoor smoking rules** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Military then Judiciary
110. By Sen. D. Hall - **Relating to purchase, possession, sale and use of fireworks** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
111. By Sen. Plymale - **Redistributing portion of net racetrack video lottery terminal income dedicated to Development Office Promotion Fund** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance

112. By Sen. Laird - **Requiring legislative rule establishing level for higher education capital project spending project approval** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
113. By Sen. Laird - **Permitting counties impose property levy for public library funding** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
114. By Sen. Laird, D. Hall and Miller - **Requiring municipal police officers wear armor vest** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
115. By Sen. Miller, Snyder and D. Hall - **Increasing annual salary of Division of Corrections employees** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
116. By Sen. Miller, Facemire and Romano - **Relating to solar renewable energy credits** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Finance
117. By Sen. Miller, Palumbo, Beach, Plymale and Unger - **Creating felony offense of DUI causing serious bodily injury** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
118. By Sen. Beach, D. Hall, Williams, Facemire and Romano - **Permitting certain loaded firearms in motor vehicles on Capitol Complex grounds** (original similar to H. B. No. 2128) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
119. By Sen. Yost - **Relating to meeting and conference rights for police or fire departments** (original similar to H. B. No. 2070) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
120. By Sen. Stollings - **Recodifying laws relating to DHHR and Bureau for Medical Services** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization
121. By Sen. Snyder, Miller, Williams, Facemire and Romano - **Relating to Conservation Agency financial assistance applications from district supervisors** (original same as S. B. No. 250) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Government Organization
122. By Sen. Snyder, Facemire and Romano - **Adopting federal definition for disabled veterans' preference in civil service hiring and state contract vendor bidding** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Military then Government Organization
123. By Sen. Snyder, Blair and Romano - **Exempting motor fuel sales from unfair trade practices** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
124. By Sen. Snyder - **Redistributing and dedicating excise tax on real property transfers to regional jails** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance

125. By Sen. Kessler, Beach and Snyder - **Prohibiting discrimination based on age or sexual orientation** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
126. By Sen. Beach - **Relating to practice of psychology** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Government Organization
127. By Sen. Carmichael - **Creating tax refund checkoff program for Cedar Lakes Foundation** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
128. By Sen. Yost - **Revising definition of "obscene matter"** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
129. By Sen. Carmichael, Gaunch, Blair, Leonhardt, Karnes and Mullins - **Establishing Intermediate Court of Appeals** (original similar to S. B. No. 306) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
130. By Sen. Miller and Beach - **Reinstating residential solar energy tax credit** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Finance
131. By Sen. Miller, Snyder, Romano and Facemire - **Increasing compensation for public defenders in child abuse and neglect proceedings** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
132. By Sen. Miller and Beach - **Reducing school nurse staffing ratio** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance
133. By Sen. Miller, Romano and Facemire - **Establishing Fund for Civil Legal Services for Low-Income Persons** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance
134. By Sen. M. Hall - **Creating Civil Justice Reform Act of 2015** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
135. By Sen. Miller and Williams - **Creating Creative Communities Development Act** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
136. By Sen. Plymale and Beach - **Limiting certain public parks and recreation liability** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
137. By Sen. Plymale - **Exempting HEPC and CCTCS and member institutions from WVOASIS** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Finance
- \*138. By Sen. Williams, Beach, Snyder, D. Hall and Sybolt - **Relating to posting of property to prohibit hunting or trespassing** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - Com. sub. reported 1/22/15 - To Judiciary 1/22/15
139. By Sen. Palumbo, Kessler and Beach - **Creating misdemeanor offense of impersonating Commission on Special Investigations representative** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary

140. By Sen. Snyder, Romano and Facemire - **Amending State Administrative Procedures Act** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
141. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to state-owned vehicles** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
142. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to Purchasing Division** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance then Judiciary
143. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Department of Administration promulgate legislative rule relating to operation plan for State Agency for Surplus Property** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance then Judiciary
144. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to refund, reinstatement, retroactive service, loan and employer error interest factors** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
145. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to Deputy Sheriffs Retirement System** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
146. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to defining terms used in hunting and trapping rules** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
147. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to hunting, trapping and fishing license and stamp fees** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance then Judiciary
148. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to general hunting** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
149. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to lifetime hunting, trapping and fishing licenses** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
150. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to wildlife damage control agents** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
151. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to special boating** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary

152. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DNR promulgate legislative rule relating to commercial whitewater outfitters** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
153. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to Amusement Rides and Amusement Attractions Safety Act** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
154. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to child labor** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
155. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to supervision of plumbing work** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
156. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to verification of legal employment status** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
157. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to regulation of heating, venting and cooling work** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 1/21/15
158. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Division of Labor promulgate legislative rule relating to weights and measures calibration fees** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 1/21/15
159. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Division of Forestry promulgate legislative rule relating to ginseng** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
160. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to Stream Partners Program grants** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
161. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to hazardous waste management system** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
162. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to control of air pollution from hazardous waste treatment, storage and disposal facilities** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary
163. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to standards of performance for new stationary sources** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary

164. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to permits for construction and major modification of major stationary sources for prevention of significant deterioration of air quality** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary
165. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to waste management** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
166. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to WV/NPDES rule for coal mining facilities** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary
167. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to requirements governing water quality standards** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
168. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to emission standards for hazardous air pollutants** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary
169. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DEP promulgate legislative rule relating to requirements for operating permits** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary
170. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing OMHST promulgate legislative rule relating to employee safety in and around quarries** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary
171. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to chronic pain management clinic licensure** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 1/16/15
172. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to Fatality and Mortality Review Team** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 1/16/15
173. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to medication administration and performance of health maintenance tasks by approved medication assistive personnel** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/16/15
174. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to nurse aid abuse and neglect registry** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/16/15
175. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to public water systems** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/16/15



176. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to nursing home licensure** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/16/15
177. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to statewide trauma/emergency care system** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/16/15
178. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to domestic violence program licensure standards** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
179. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to Monitored Parenting and Exchange Program certification** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
180. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to board operation** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
181. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to perpetrator intervention programs licensure for correctional institutions** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
182. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing State Police promulgate legislative rule relating to DNA databank regulations and procedures** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
183. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Office of Technology promulgate legislative rule relating to sanitization, retirement and disposition of equipment** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
184. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing State Fire Commission promulgate legislative rule relating to volunteer firefighters' training, equipment and operating standards** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
185. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing State Fire Marshal promulgate legislative rule relating to fire protection work supervision** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
186. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Tax Department promulgate legislative rule relating to appointment of special assessors** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance then Judiciary

187. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Racing Commission promulgate legislative rule relating to thoroughbred racing** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
188. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to using mortality tables to determine reserve liabilities for annuities** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
189. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to annuity disclosure** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
190. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to nonintoxicating beer licensing and operations procedures** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
191. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to private club licensing** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
192. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing DMV promulgate legislative rule relating to examination and issuance of driver's licenses** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
193. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Office of Administrative Hearings promulgate legislative rule relating to appeal procedures** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
194. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Governor's Committee on Crime, Delinquency and Correction promulgate legislative rule relating to law-enforcement training and certification standards** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
195. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Conservation Committee promulgate legislative rule relating to financial assistance programs** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
196. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Real Estate Appraiser Licensing and Certification Board promulgate legislative rule relating to registration and renewal of appraisal management companies** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/23/15
197. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Medicine promulgate legislative rule relating to licensure, disciplinary and complaint procedures; continuing education; physician assistants** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
198. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Enterprise Resource Planning Board promulgate legislative rule relating to user fee** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15

199. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Registration for Professional Engineers promulgate legislative rule relating to examination, licensure and practice** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
200. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Physical Therapy promulgate legislative rule relating to fees for physical therapists and physical therapist assistants** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
201. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Osteopathy promulgate legislative rule relating to board fees** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
202. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Osteopathic Medicine promulgate legislative rule relating to osteopathic physician assistants** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
203. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to immunizations administered by pharmacists** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
204. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to pharmacy technician registration** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
205. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to controlled substances monitoring** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
206. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to formation and approval of professional limited liability companies** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/23/15
207. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to board** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 1/23/15
208. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to dental recovery networks** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 1/23/15
209. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Dental Examiners promulgate legislative rule relating to formation and approval of dental corporations and dental practice ownership** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/23/15

210. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to frozen desserts and imitation frozen desserts** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/20/15
211. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to animal disease control** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/20/15
212. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to auctioneers** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/20/15
213. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Pesticide Control Act of 1990 fee structure** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/20/15
214. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Plant Pest Act** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/20/15
215. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to meat and poultry inspection** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/20/15
216. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Spay Neuter Assistance Program** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
217. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to livestock care standards** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
218. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to equine rescue facilities** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
219. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Rural Rehabilitation Loan Program** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Finance then Judiciary
220. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to aquaculture importation** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
221. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to industrial hemp** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary

222. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to dangerous wild animals** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
223. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Board of Pharmacy promulgate legislative rule relating to licensure and practice of pharmacy** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/23/15
224. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to election recount procedures** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
225. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to electronic notarization standards and guidelines** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
226. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to notaries public** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
227. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Secretary of State promulgate legislative rule relating to schedule of fees for notaries public** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
228. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Family Protection Services Board promulgate legislative rule relating to perpetrator intervention programs licensure** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/21/15
229. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing CPRB promulgate legislative rule relating to service credit for accrued and unused sick and annual leave** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/22/15
230. By Sen. Stollings, Laird, Cole (Mr. President), Kirkendoll, Miller, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Walters, Yost, Boley, M. Hall and Unger - **Creating Overdose Prevention Act** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
231. By Sen. Stollings, Laird, Cole (Mr. President), Kirkendoll, Miller, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Walters, Yost, Boley, M. Hall, Snyder, Gaunch, Blair and Williams - **Allowing certain law-enforcement and public safety personnel to possess and administer opioid antagonist** (original same as H. B. No. 2044 - similar to H. B. No. 2009 and S. B. No. 9) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources
232. By Sen. Stollings, Laird, Cole (Mr. President), Kirkendoll, Miller, Palumbo, Plymale, Prezioso, Walters, Yost, Boley, M. Hall and Sypolt - **Providing for expedited partner therapy** (original same as H. B. No. 2046) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary

233. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Budget Bill** (original same as H. B. No. 2016) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Finance 1/14/15
234. By Sen. Trump, M. Hall, Blair and Plymale - **Exempting water and sewer utilities owned by political subdivisions from PSC jurisdiction** - Introduced 1/15/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
235. By Sen. Kessler, M. Hall, Prezioso, Plymale, Williams, Beach, Stollings and Kirkendoll - **Creating Hatfield-McCoy Regional Recreation Authority Fund** (original same as H. B. No. 2097) - Introduced 1/15/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
236. By Sen. Karnes, Blair, Boley, Carmichael, Ferns, Gaunch, Leonhardt, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Takubo, Trump, Walters and D. Hall - **Limiting health insurance coverage for elective abortions to supplemental policies** - Introduced 1/15/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
237. By Sen. D. Hall, Romano, Snyder, Facemire and Williams - **Creating Captive Cervid Farming Act** (original similar to H. B. No. 2033) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Finance
238. By Sen. D. Hall, Nohe and Stollings - **Exempting county boards of education from liability arising from unorganized recreation** - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Education then Judiciary
239. By Sen. Kirkendoll, Blair, Snyder, Williams and Beach - **Eliminating certain boards, councils, task forces, commissions and committees** (original similar to H. B. No. 2177 and S. B. No. 255) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Government Organization
240. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Updating terms in Personal Income Tax Act** (original same as H. B. No. 2114) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Finance
241. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Updating terms in Corporation Net Income Tax Act** (original same as H. B. No. 2115) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Finance
242. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Creating criminal penalties for automated telephone calls causing harm during state of emergency or preparedness** (original same as H. B. No. S117) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Judiciary
243. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Relating to school nutrition standards during state of emergency or preparedness** (original same as H. B. No. 2118) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Education then Judiciary

244. By Sen. Carmichael, Miller, Nohe and Plymale - **Creating Caregiver Advise, Record and Enable Act** (original same as H. B. No. 2100) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
245. By Sen. Trump, Blair and Walters - **Repealing requirement for prevailing wage payment for public improvement construction** (original same as H. B. No. 2206) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
246. By Sen. Trump, Blair, Leonhardt and Williams - **Establishing grandfather exemption requiring certain School for Deaf and Blind child care workers hold associate's degree** - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Education
247. By Sen. Trump, Blair, Walters and Nohe - **Repealing Dangerous Wild Animals Act** - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
248. By Sen. Williams - **Requiring certain insurance and owner information be provided following car accident** - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
249. By Sen. Trump, Blair, Ferns, M. Hall and Walters - **Prohibiting straight party voting** - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Judiciary
250. By Sen. Trump, Blair, Carmichael, M. Hall, Leonhardt, Miller, Snyder, Unger, Williams and Plymale - **Relating to Conservation Agency financial assistance applications from district supervisors** (original same as S. B. No. 121) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
251. By Sen. Mullins, Karnes, Leonhardt and Gaunch - **Modifying private cause of action for deliberate intention workers' compensation claims** - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Judiciary
252. By Sen. Trump, Blair, Williams, Facemire, D. Hall and Leonhardt - **Making Schools for Deaf and Blind eligible for School Building Authority funding** (original same as H. B. No. 2160) - Introduced 1/19/15 - To Education then Finance
253. By Sen. Trump, Blair, D. Hall, Stollings, Laird, Kirkendoll, Snyder, Plymale and Leonhardt - **Recodifying chapter relating to child welfare and juvenile disposition** (original same as H. B. No. 2200) - Introduced 1/19/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
254. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Relating to Fire, EMS and Law-Enforcement Officer Survivor Benefit Act** - Introduced 1/19/15 - To Pensions then Finance
255. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Eliminating certain boards, councils, task forces, commissions and committees**

- (original same as H. B. No. 2177 - similar to S. B. No. 239) - Introduced 1/19/15  
- To Government Organization then Judiciary
256. By Sen. Walters and Nohe - **Increasing number of student unexcused absences before taking action against parent** - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Education then Judiciary
257. By Sen. Plymale, Stollings and Kirkendoll - **Relating to improving middle grades education** - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Education then Judiciary
258. By Sen. Beach, Williams, Prezioso and Kessler - **Creating Letting Our Counties Act Locally Act** - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance
259. By Sen. Beach, Snyder and Williams - **Relating to examination, licensing and endorsement requirements for autocyces** - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Judiciary
260. By Sen. Yost and Kessler - **Providing purchases of state materials, supplies, equipment, etc., be made in US** - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Labor then Finance
261. By Sen. D. Hall, Miller, Snyder, Beach and Facemire - **Clarifying definition of "owner" of dam** - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
262. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Transferring CHIP and Children's Health Insurance Agency from Department of Administration to DHHR** (original same as H. B. No. 2210) - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
263. By Sen. Yost and Kessler - **Requiring court-appointed special advocate in all counties** - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
264. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Reducing severance tax proceeds dedicated to Infrastructure General Obligation Debt Service Fund** (original same as H. B. No. 2212) - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Finance
265. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Reducing distribution of excess lottery proceeds to Infrastructure Fund; increasing funds available for grants** (original same as H. B. No. 2213) - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Finance
266. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Eliminating sales tax exemption on certain highway construction and maintenance materials** (original same as H. B. No. 2211) - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance



267. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Repealing code relating to Governor's Office of Health Enhancement and Lifestyle Planning** (original same as H. B. No. 2209) - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
268. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Terminating dedication of corporation net income tax proceeds to railroads** (original same as H. B. No. 2226) - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance
269. By Sen. Yost, Kessler and Facemire - **Creating flood zone homestead property tax exemption** - Introduced 1/20/15 - To Natural Resources then Finance
270. By Sen. Stollings, Prezioso and Kirkendoll - **Amending criteria for pain management clinic designation** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
271. By Sen. Karnes and Nohe - **Relating to aborted fetus care** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
272. By Sen. Karnes - **Decreasing number of jurors on municipal jury** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
273. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Relating to brewer, resident brewer and brewpub licensing and operations** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Economic Development then Judiciary
274. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Relating to TANF program** (original same as H. B. No. 2382) - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
275. By Sen. Trump, Kessler, Unger, Nohe, Boso, Blair, Prezioso, D. Hall, Beach and Romano - **Relating to confidentiality of concealed weapon permit applicants' information** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Judiciary
276. By Sen. Karnes, Boley, Leonhardt, Maynard, Nohe, Plymale and D. Hall - **Terminating severance tax on timber** (original similar to H. B. No. 2268) - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Finance
277. By Sen. Miller, D. Hall, Laird, Williams and Kirkendoll - **Requiring issuance of certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
278. By Sen. Karnes - **Relating to lawful and unlawful methods of hunting** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
279. By Sen. Walters, Blair, Gaunch, Boso, Karnes, Maynard and D. Hall - **Clarifying qualifications of Labor Commissioner** (original similar to H. B. No. 2217) - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Labor then Judiciary

- \*280. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President), Boley, Ferns, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Prezioso, Facemire, D. Hall, Williams, Kessler, Palumbo and Beach - **Allowing well work permit transfers** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Judiciary - Com. sub. reported 1/23/15 - Constitutional rule suspended - Passed Senate 1/23/15 - Effective from passage - To House 1/26/15 - To Energy
281. By Sen. Plymale - **Creating system of judicial sale of tax liens** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
282. By Sen. D. Hall and Stollings - **Relating to National Coal Heritage Area Authority** (original same as H. B. No. 2227) - Introduced 1/22/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
283. By Sen. Nohe, Gaunch and Plymale - **Relating to branch banking** (original same as H. B. No. 2379) - Introduced 1/22/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary - To Banking and Insurance
284. By Sen. Nohe, Plymale, Sypolt, Walters, Blair, Williams, Prezioso and D. Hall - **Relating to chief law-enforcement officer's requirement to certify transfer or making of certain firearms** - Introduced 1/22/15 - To Judiciary
285. By Sen. Nohe, Gaunch and Plymale - **Relating to primary and subordinate mortgage loans** (original same as H. B. No. 2223) - Introduced 1/22/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
286. By Sen. Ferns, Trump, D. Hall, Blair, Boley, Gaunch, Leonhardt, Maynard, Mullins and Karnes - **Relating to compulsory immunizations of students; exemptions** - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
287. By Sen. Takubo, Boley, Carmichael, Gaunch, Stollings, Walters, Williams, Trump and Blair - **Providing posthumous high school diplomas** (original same as H. B. No. 2156) - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Education
288. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Relating to public school financing** - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Education then Finance
289. By Sen. Takubo, Stollings, Carmichael, Ferns, Walters, Gaunch and Miller - **Prohibiting insurance plans from charging higher copays, deductibles or coinsurance for certain cancer treatments** - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
290. By Sen. Williams, Beach, Blair, Kirkendoll, Stollings, Sypolt, Palumbo and Miller - **Relating to regulation of nonintoxicating beer brewers and retailers** - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Economic Development then Judiciary
291. By Sen. Ferns, D. Hall, Karnes and Leonhardt - **Clarifying power of Attorney General to contract for outside legal services** - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Judiciary

292. By Sen. Nohe and Gaunch - **Relating to licenses for business of currency exchange, transportation or transmission** (original same as H. B. No. 2241) - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
293. By Sen. Beach, Kessler and Miller - **Increasing fees for certain DMV services and documents** - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Transportation and Infrastructure then Finance
294. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Eliminating certain unnecessary, inactive or redundant councils, committees and boards** - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
295. By Sen. Ferns and Trump - **Establishing appeal process for DHHR Board of Review and Bureau for Medical Services decisions** - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
296. By Sen. Walters and D. Hall - **Providing maximum licensed school psychologist-pupil ratio** - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Education then Finance
297. By Sen. Walters and Palumbo - **Relating to sale of nonintoxicating beer** - Introduced 1/23/15 - To Economic Development then Judiciary
298. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump - **Clarifying funds within Public Employees Retirement Fund** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary
299. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump - **Clarifying start date of State Police duty-related disability payments** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary
300. By Sen. Gaunch, Trump and Stollings - **Relating to military service credit for PERS members** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Finance
301. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump - **Modifying definition of “member” in Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Finance
302. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump - **Relating to state retirement plans** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Judiciary
303. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Reducing sales tax proceeds dedicated to School Major Improvement Fund and School Construction Fund** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Education then Finance
304. By Sen. Miller, Williams, Beach, D. Hall, Nohe, Sypolt, Snyder and Stollings - **Relating to farmers markets** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
305. By Sen. Gaunch and Trump - **Relating to state retirement system participation and concurrent employment provisions** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Pensions then Finance

306. By Sen. Ferns, Carmichael, D. Hall, Mullins and Blair - **Establishing Intermediate Court of Appeals** (original similar to S. B. No. 129) - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
307. By Sen. Blair and Carmichael - **Creating Paycheck Protection Act** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
308. By Sen. Trump and Carmichael - **Changing minimum interest rate paid on judgments or decrees** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Judiciary
309. By Sen. Trump, Laird, Walters and Nohe - **Authorizing Corrections Commissioner to enter into mutual aid agreements** (original same as H. B. No. 2274) - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
310. By Sen. Sypolt, Williams and Nohe - **Exempting nonprofit public utility companies from B&O tax** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Finance
311. By Sen. Beach, Kessler, D. Hall and Prezioso - **Changing Coopers Rock State Forest to Coopers Rock State Park** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
312. By Sen. Nohe, Boley, Leonhardt, Palumbo and D. Hall - **Relating to disqualification of general election nominees for failure to file campaign finance statements** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Judiciary
313. By Sen. Nohe, Blair, Carmichael, Gaunch, D. Hall, M. Hall, Laird, Palumbo and Stollings - **Relating to delinquency proceedings of insurers** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary

## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS OFFERED

1. By Sen. Boley - **Proposing constitutional amendment designated School Board Election Amendment** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Education then Judiciary
2. By Sen. Kessler, Williams, Laird and Miller - **Proposing constitutional amendment designated Future Fund Amendment** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
3. By Sen. Snyder and Miller - **Proposing constitutional amendment designated Homestead Exemption Calculation Amendment** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary then Finance

## SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS OFFERED

1. By Sen. Cole, M. Hall and Kessler - **Authorizing payment of supplies, services, printing and other expenses** - Introduced 1/14/15 - Committee reference

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

## SENATE RESOLUTIONS OFFERED

1. By Sen. Carmichael - **Adopting Rules of Senate** - Introduced 1/14/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Amended - Adopted 1/14/15
2. By Sen. Carmichael - **Raising committee to notify House Senate has assembled and organized** - Introduced 1/14/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/14/15
3. By Sen. Carmichael - **Raising committee to notify Governor Legislature has organized** - Introduced 1/14/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/14/15
4. By Sen. M. Hall - **Relating to mailing of bills and journals** - Introduced 1/14/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/14/15
5. By Sen. Beach, Plymale, Williams, Stollings, Prezioso and D. Hall - **Celebrating Monongalia County** - Introduced 1/15/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/15/15
6. By Sen. Williams, Sypolt, Blair, Trump, Plymale, D. Hall and Beach - **Honoring Doris Marks on Mineral County Day** - Introduced 1/15/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/15/15
7. **Authorizing appointment of employees** - Introduced 1/15/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/16/15
8. By Sen. Palumbo, Beach, Stollings and Williams - **Recognizing jazz drummer Butch Miles** - Introduced 1/16/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/16/15
9. By Sen. Ferns, Stollings, Palumbo, Kessler, Unger, Beach, Plymale, D. Hall, Trump and Prezioso - **Designating January 21, 2015, Disability Advocacy Day** - Introduced 1/21/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/21/15
10. By Sen. Palumbo, Plymale and Beach - **Recognizing Nuru International** - Introduced 1/21/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/21/15
11. By Sen. Leonhardt, Facemire, Kessler, D. Hall and Plymale - **Recognizing Calhoun and Gilmer counties** - Introduced 1/23/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/23/15
12. By Sen. Unger, Snyder, Blair, Trump, Kessler, Beach, Prezioso and Stollings - **Recognizing Leadership Berkeley** - Introduced 1/26/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/26/15

## HOUSE BILLS COMMUNICATED TO SENATE

- \*2001. By Del. Gearheart, Nelson, J., Arvon, Ellington, Folk, White, B., Frich, Hill, Householder, Moffatt and Shott - **Repealing portions of the Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act** (original same as S. B. No. 1) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy then Judiciary - To House Judiciary 1/16/15 - Passed House 1/22/15 - Title amended - To Senate 1/23/15 - Committee reference dispensed - On 3rd reading 1/27/15
  
- \*2025. By Del. Howell, Shott, Hamrick, Romine, Sobonya, Espinosa, Miller, Weld, Statler, Kurcaba and Canterbury - **Prohibiting certain sex offenders from loitering within one thousand feet of a school or child care facility** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary - Amended - Passed House 1/23/15 - To Senate 1/26/15 - To Judiciary
  
- 2201. By Del. Ireland, Folk, Manchin, Lynch, Rowe, Fleischauer, Skinner, Fast, Fluharty, Byrd and Summers (Originating in House Judiciary) - **Requiring the Public Service Commission to adopt certain net metering and interconnection rules and standards** - Introduced 1/20/15 - Amendments pending - Reformed Amendment reported - Amended - Passed House 1/23/15 - To Senate 1/26/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Judiciary - To Energy, Industry and Mining 1/26/15

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS COMMUNICATED TO SENATE

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

## SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY LEGISLATURE

- 1. By Sen. Cole, M. Hall and Kessler - **Authorizing payment of supplies, services, printing and other expenses** - Adopted 1/15/15

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# **SENATE CALENDAR**

**Tuesday, January 27, 2015**

**11:00 A.M.**

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## **THIRD READING**

Eng. Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 13 - Reinstating open and obvious doctrine for premises liability (original same as H. B. No. 2013).

Eng. Com. Sub. for H. B. No. 2001 - Repealing portions of the Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act (original same as S. B. No. 1).

## **SECOND READING**

Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 8 - Providing for DOH performance and efficiency audit (original same as H. B. No. 2008).



# **ANNOUNCED SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

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**Tuesday, January 27, 2015**

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| 10 a.m. | Transportation & Infrastructure | (Room No. 451M) |
| 10 a.m. | Labor                           | (Room No. 208W) |
| 1 p.m.  | Health & Human Resources        | (Room No. 451M) |
| 1 p.m.  | Energy, Industry and Mining     | (Room No. 208W) |
| 2 p.m.  | Education                       | (Room No. 451M) |
| 2 p.m.  | Government Organization         | (Room No. 208W) |
| 3 p.m.  | Finance                         | (Room No. 451M) |