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The Senate met at 11 a.m.

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

Prayer was offered by the Reverend Jeff Biddle, Jr., Emmanuel Baptist Church, Charleston, West Virginia.

The Senate was then led in recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance by the Honorable Robert Karnes, a senator from the eleventh district.

Students from Highland Adventist School, Elkins, West Virginia, proceeded in the performing of "The Star-Spangled Banner".

Pending the reading of the Journal of Monday, January 26, 2015,

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

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

The Senate then proceeded to the fourth order of business.

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

Your Committee on Banking and Insurance has had under consideration

**Senate Bill No. 188**, Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to using mortality tables to determine reserve liabilities for annuities.

And has amended same.

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

Respectfully submitted,

David Nohe,  
*Chair.*

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

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

Your Committee on Banking and Insurance has had under consideration

**Senate Bill No. 189**, Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to annuity disclosure.

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

Respectfully submitted,

David Nohe,  
*Chair.*

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

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

Your Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development has had under consideration

**Senate Bill No. 216**, Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Spay Neuter Assistance Program.

**Senate Bill No. 218**, Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to equine rescue facilities.

**Senate Bill No. 220**, Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to aquaculture importation.

And,

**Senate Bill No. 221**, Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to industrial hemp.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel J. Hall,  
*Chair.*

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

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

Your Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development has had under consideration

**Senate Bill No. 217**, Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to livestock care standards.

And has amended same.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel J. Hall,  
*Chair.*

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

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

Your Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development has had under consideration

**Senate Bill No. 219**, Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Rural Rehabilitation Loan Program.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel J. Hall,  
*Chair.*

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

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

Your Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development has had under consideration

**Senate Bill No. 237**, Creating Captive Cervid Farming Act.

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

**Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 237** (originating in the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development)—A Bill to

amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §19-2H-1, §19-2H-2, §19-2H-3, §19-2H-4, §19-2H-5, §19-2H-6, §19-2H-7, §19-2H-8, §19-2H-9, §19-2H-10, §19-2H-11 and §19-2H-12; to amend and reenact §19-29-2 of said code; to amend and reenact §20-1-2 of said code; and to amend and reenact §20-2-11 and §20-2-12 of said code, all relating to the Captive Cervid Farming Act; regulating captive cervid farming as an agricultural business; stating legislative findings and definitions; permitting sale of venison; stating powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture and commissioner; creating application process and classes of licenses; issuing, renewing, modifying and transferring licenses; inspecting facilities; transitioning current facilities to new licensure procedures; creating penalties for noncompliance with article; amending other statutes to comport with the Captive Cervid Farming Act; permitting rulemaking; prohibiting certain conduct; and providing for certain criminal penalties.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel J. Hall,  
*Chair.*

At the request of Senator M. Hall, as chair of the Committee on Finance, unanimous consent was granted to dispense with the second committee reference of the bill contained in the foregoing report from the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development.

Senator D. Hall, from the Committee on Labor, submitted the following report, which was received:

Your Committee on Labor has had under consideration

**Senate Bill No. 279**, Clarifying qualifications of Labor Commissioner.

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

**Com. Sub. for Senate Bill No. 279** (originating in the Committee on Labor)—A Bill to amend and reenact §21-1-2 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to establishing new qualifications for the appointment of the Commissioner of Labor; and deleting outdated language.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel J. Hall,  
*Chair.*

The bill (Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 279), under the original double committee reference, was then referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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

Your Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development has had under consideration

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8**, Urging US EPA withdraw and/or rescind proposed definition of “waters of the United States”.

And reports the same back with the recommendation that it be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel J. Hall,  
*Chair.*

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 Nohe, Carmichael, Mullins and Blair:**

**Senate Bill No. 314**—A Bill to amend and reenact §23-5-7 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to authorization of compromise and settlement of indemnity portion of occupational pneumoconiosis claims.

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

**By Senator Mullins:**

**Senate Bill No. 315**—A Bill to amend and reenact §46A-6-101, §46A-6-105 and §46A-6-106 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to civil actions filed under the Consumer Protection Act.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senators D. Hall, Leonhardt, Trump, Stollings, Plymale, Kirkendoll and Nohe:**

**Senate Bill No. 316**—A Bill to amend and reenact §59-1-2 and §59-1-2a of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to defining a “veteran-owned business” and exempting such businesses from initial registration and certain annual report fees paid to the Secretary of State.

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



**By Senators Miller, Beach, Laird, Walters and Woelfel:**

**Senate Bill No. 317**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §29-12-7a, relating to requiring state agency owning a state building to maintain insurance on the building and its contents in an amount approved by the Board of Risk and Insurance Management.

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

**By Senators Trump, Karnes, Carmichael and Blair:**

**Senate Bill No. 318**—A Bill to amend and reenact §21-5-3 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to payment of wages by employers; and authorizing payment of employees twice a month.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senators D. Hall and Trump:**

**Senate Bill No. 319**—A Bill to amend and reenact §59-1-2 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to donations of overpayment of fees to the Secretary of State.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

**By Senators D. Hall and Trump:**

**Senate Bill No. 320**—A Bill to amend and reenact §31B-10-1006 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend and reenact §47-9-53a of said code, all relating to notices of revocation of certificate of authority.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senator Blair:**

**Senate Bill No. 321**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §21-1E-1, §21-1E-2, §21-1E-3, §21-1E-4 and §21-1E-5, all relating to

creating the Paycheck Protection Act; providing short title; protecting rights of employers and employees under federal labor law; prohibiting employers from deducting fees from wages of an employee which would be paid to a labor organization except upon request of employee; prohibiting employers from contracting with labor organizations to deduct fees from wages of an employee which would be paid to a labor organization except upon the request of employee; providing certain agreements are not impaired; and defining terms.

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

**By Senators Nohe, Boley, Palumbo, Leonhardt and Trump:**

**Senate Bill No. 322**—A Bill to amend and reenact §3-4A-28 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to removing unnecessary requirement of mandatory electronic recount of ballots in recounts.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senator Blair:**

**Senate Bill No. 323**—A Bill to amend and reenact §8-1-5a of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend said code by adding thereto a new section, designated §8-1-5b, all relating to extending home rule to all Class I, II and III municipalities; eliminating Municipal Home Rule Pilot Program; and providing that the Municipal Home Rule Board will terminate five years after enactment of statute unless extended.

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

**By Senators Blair, Trump, Laird, Kessler, D. Hall, Palumbo and Plymale:**

**Senate Bill No. 324**—A Bill to amend and reenact §8-1-5a of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to increasing by seven the number of participants in the Home Rule Pilot Program.

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

**By Senators Nohe, Boley, Leonhardt, Sypolt, Palumbo, Trump and Blair:**

**Senate Bill No. 325**—A Bill to amend and reenact §6B-2-6 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to filing dates for financial disclosure statements by candidates; setting deadlines for candidates to file financial disclosure statements with the Ethics Commission; clarifying to which office the Ethics Commission sends copies of statements; and disqualifying candidates who fail to file statement by the deadline.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senators Nohe, Boley, Leonhardt, Sypolt, Palumbo, Trump and Blair:**

**Senate Bill No. 326**—A Bill to amend and reenact §3-8-2 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to campaign finance reports for candidates for delegate to a national party convention.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senators Williams and Sypolt:**

**Senate Bill No. 327**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §19-1A-6; and to amend said code by adding thereto a new section, designated §20-1-7a, all relating to requiring public hearings upon transfer of certain land to or from the state; requiring public hearing be held at least thirty days prior to closing of sale; requiring certain notice of public hearing; and providing for availability of transcript of public hearing and list of attendees.

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

**By Senators Boley, Sypolt and D. Hall:**

**Senate Bill No. 328**—A Bill to repeal §59-1-7 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to repealing outdated language for fees to be charged by a notary public.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

**By Senators Walters, Leonhardt and Takubo:**

**Senate Bill No. 329**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §37-16-1, §37-16-2 and §37-16-3, all relating to requirement that a seller of real property satisfy upon closing any unpaid charges owed to the county and municipality in which the property is located.

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

**By Senator Ferns:**

**Senate Bill No. 330**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §30-3F-1, §30-3F-2, §30-3F-3, §30-3F-4, §30-3F-5, §30-3F-6, §30-3F-7, §30-3F-8, §30-3F-9, §30-3F-10, §30-3F-11, §30-3F-12, §30-3F-13, §30-3F-14, §30-3F-15, §30-3F-16, §30-3F-17, §30-3F-18, §30-3F-19, §30-3F-20, §30-3F-21, §30-3F-22, §30-3F-23 and §30-3F-24, all relating to adopting the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact; strengthening access to health care; developing comprehensive process that complements current statutes regarding medical practices; providing streamlined process that allows physicians to become licensed in multiple states, thereby enhancing portability of a medical license and ensuring safety of patients; creating another pathway for licensure; adopting prevailing standard for licensure and affirming that practice of medicine occurs where the patient is located at the time of physician-patient encounter; and requiring the physician to be under jurisdiction of the state medical board where the patient is located.

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

**By Senator Palumbo:**

**Senate Bill No. 331**—A Bill to amend and reenact §3-5-11, §3-5-18 and §3-5-19 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to withdrawal of candidates for office and filling vacancies; requiring the Secretary of State to create a notarized statement of withdrawal form; setting certain deadlines for the filing of a notarized statement of withdrawal form in order to have one's name removed from ballot; setting deadline for when the Secretary of State shall certify names of general election candidates to counties; prohibiting certification of the name of a candidate who filed a timely notarized statement of withdrawal; clarifying process for determining candidate is disqualified; removing the State Election Commission from process of voluntary withdrawal of candidates; authorizing executive committee to replace a candidate who files a timely notarized statement of withdrawal and whose name would have otherwise appeared on the general election ballot; and setting and adjusting certain deadlines.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senator M. Hall:**

**Senate Bill No. 332**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §11-10-27, relating to administrative fees for the Tax Division of the Department of Revenue; specifying imposition and retention of fees by the Tax Division of the Department of Revenue from specified taxes and fees and from any interest, additions to tax and penalties related thereto; specifying imposition and retention of fees in payment for Tax Division services in the collection, distribution and administration of taxes for state and local departments, divisions, subdivisions and agencies; authorizing reimbursements to the Tax Division for transaction fees imposed by the Enterprise Resource Planning System; authorizing fee increases by legislative rule; specifying limitations; and specifying effective date.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

**By Senator M. Hall:**

**Senate Bill No. 333**—A Bill to repeal §11-1-5 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to removing certain officials from office for misconduct or neglect of official duties.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senator Ferns:**

**Senate Bill No. 334**—A Bill to amend and reenact §30-3-13 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend said code by adding thereto a new section, designated §30-3-13a, all relating generally to practice of medicine; rewriting licensing requirements for practice of medicine and surgery or podiatry; making exceptions; providing for unauthorized practice; requiring notice; establishing criminal penalties; permitting practice of telemedicine; establishing requirements; making exceptions; defining terms; and authorizing rulemaking.

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

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

**Senate Bill No. 335**—A Bill to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated §16-46-1, §16-46-2, §16-46-3, §16-46-4, §16-46-5, §16-46-6 and §16-46-7, all relating generally to accessing and administering opioid antagonists in overdose situations; establishing short title; defining terms; establishing objectives and purpose; allowing licensed health care providers to prescribe opioid antagonist to initial responders and certain individuals; allowing initial responders to possess and administer opioid antagonists; providing for limited liability for initial responders who possess and administer opioid antagonist; providing for limited liability for licensed health care providers who prescribe opioid antagonist in accordance with this article;

establishing responsibility of licensed health care providers to provide educational materials on overdose prevention and administration of opioid antagonist; and providing for data collection and reporting.

Referred to the Committee on Health and Human Resources.

**By Senators Ferns and Takubo:**

**Senate Bill No. 336**—A Bill to repeal §16-29B-19, §16-29B-20, §16-29B-21 and §16-29B-21a of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend and reenact §16-29B-10 of said code; all relating generally to powers and duties of the Health Care Authority; eliminating authority of the Health Care Authority to conduct rate review and set rates for hospitals; and establishing grandfathering clause.

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

**By Senators Carmichael, Blair, Boso, Sypolt and Trump:**

**Senate Bill No. 337**—A Bill to amend and reenact §21-1A-3 and §21-1A-4 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend said code by adding thereto a new article, designated §21-5G-1, §21-5G-2, §21-5G-3, §21-5G-4, §21-5G-5, §21-5G-6, §21-5G-7, §21-5G-8 and §21-5G-9, all relating to establishing the West Virginia Right to Work Law; prohibiting any requirement that a person become or remain a member of a labor organization as condition of employment; prohibiting any requirement that a person must pay dues or other fees to a labor organization; prohibiting any requirement that a person contribute to a charity in lieu of paying dues or other fees to a labor organization; providing that certain agreements or practices between labor organizations and employers are null and void; providing for monetary penalties; providing for injunctive relief; providing for private cause of action for damages and attorney's fees; providing exceptions; requiring prosecuting attorneys and the Attorney General to investigate complaints; and defining terms.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

**By Senators Palumbo, Gaunch, Snyder, M. Hall, Williams, Blair, Unger, Trump and Stollings:**

**Senate Bill No. 338**—A Bill to amend and reenact §11-13X-3 and §11-13X-5 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, all relating to the West Virginia Film Industry Investment tax credit; defining terms; specifying amount of West Virginia Film Industry Investment tax credit authorized as percentage of qualified expenditures for purposes of calculating tax credit; decreasing percentage authorized for expenditures on projects that do not employ ten or more West Virginia residents as part of the full-time employees working on the project in West Virginia or as apprentices working in West Virginia; increasing percentage authorized for expenditures on projects that do employ ten or more West Virginia residents as part of the full-time employees working on the project in West Virginia or as apprentices working in West Virginia; and specifying effective date.

Referred to the Committee on Economic Development; and then to the Committee on Finance.

**By Senators Carmichael, D. Hall and Nohe:**

**Senate Bill No. 339**—A Bill to amend and reenact §11-13V-4 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to reducing the additional tax on privilege of severing coal, effective July 1, 2015.

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

**By Senators Trump, Carmichael, Blair and Takubo:**

**Senate Bill No. 340**—A Bill to amend and reenact §3-1-34 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended; and to amend and reenact §17B-2-1 of said code, all relating to voting procedures; requiring a person desiring to vote to present documentation identifying the voter to one of the poll clerks; providing for casting of provisional



ballot by a person without adequate proof of identification; and providing for issuance of identification cards at no charge.

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

Senators Ferns, D. Hall and Sypolt offered the following resolution:

**Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13**—Urging the Congress of the United States to propose a balanced budget amendment to the United States Constitution and applying to the Congress, pursuant to Article V of the United States Constitution, to call a convention for proposing a balanced budget amendment.

Whereas, The Legislature of West Virginia urges the Congress of the United States to propose a balanced budget amendment to the United States Constitution for the calling of a convention of the states limited to proposing an amendment to the United States Constitution requiring that, in the absence of a national emergency, the total of all federal appropriations made by the Congress for any fiscal year may not exceed the total of all estimated federal revenues for that fiscal year, together with any related and appropriate fiscal restraints; and

Whereas, It is the intention of the Legislature that matters shall not be considered at the convention that do not pertain to an amendment requiring that, in the absence of a national emergency, the total of all federal appropriations made by the Congress for any fiscal year may not exceed the total of all estimated federal revenues for that fiscal year, together with any related and appropriate fiscal restraints; and

Whereas, This application is to be considered as covering the balanced budget amendment language of the presently outstanding balanced budget applications from other states, including previously adopted applications from Alabama, Alaska, Arkansas, Colorado,

Delaware, Florida, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Maryland, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Mexico, North Carolina, Pennsylvania and Texas. This application shall be aggregated with those other applications for the purpose of attaining the two thirds of states necessary to require the calling of a convention for proposing a balanced budget amendment, but shall not be aggregated with any applications on any other subject; and

Whereas, This application constitutes a continuing application in accordance with Article V of the United States Constitution until the legislatures of at least two thirds of the several states have made applications on the same subject or the Congress has proposed an amendment to the United States Constitution equivalent to the amendment proposed in this resolution. This application supersedes all previous applications by the Legislature of the State of West Virginia on the same subject; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

That the Legislature hereby urges the Congress of the United States to propose a balanced budget amendment to the United States Constitution and applying to the Congress, pursuant to Article V of the United States Constitution, to call a convention for proposing a balanced budget amendment; and, be it

*Further Resolved,* If the convention called by the Congress is not limited to considering a balanced budget amendment, then any delegates, representatives or participants from the State of West Virginia asked to participate in the convention are authorized to debate and vote only on a proposed amendment or amendments to the United States Constitution requiring that, in the absence of a national emergency, the total of all federal appropriations made by the Congress for any fiscal year may not exceed the total of all estimated federal revenues for that fiscal year, together with any related and appropriate fiscal restraints; and, be it

*Further Resolved*, This application constitutes a continuing application in accordance with Article V of the United States Constitution until the legislatures of at least two thirds of the several states have made applications on the same subject or the Congress has proposed an amendment to the United States Constitution equivalent to the amendment proposed in this resolution. This application supersedes all previous applications by the Legislature of the State of West Virginia on the same subject; and, be it

*Further Resolved*, That the Clerk is hereby directed to forward copies of this resolution to the President and Secretary of the U. S. Senate, the Speaker and Clerk of the House of Representatives of Congress, the members of the Senate and House of Representatives from the State of West Virginia and to the presiding officers of each of the legislative houses of the several states, requesting their cooperation.

Which, under the rules, lies over one day.

Senators Sypolt, Boley, Stollings, Plymale, Unger, Williams, D. Hall, Beach, Kessler, Nohe and Leonhardt offered the following resolution:

**Senate Resolution No. 13**—Designating January 27, 2015, as “Higher Education Day at the Legislature”.

Whereas, The foundation of any society’s success is the degree to which its citizens are educated; and

Whereas, The citizens of West Virginia are committed to supporting higher education; and

Whereas, West Virginia’s colleges and universities increase the knowledge base of West Virginia’s students, as well as those from other states; and

Whereas, West Virginia's education system will help students achieve their education goals and meet the workforce needs of West Virginia and the United States; and

Whereas, Not only does the education system contribute to the economic vitality of the state, but it enriches the culture and life of all communities and regions within the state and outside its boundaries; and

Whereas, West Virginia's colleges and universities advance the development of technology, partner in business and industry, conduct groundbreaking research and improve lives through advanced health care; and

Whereas, Through the services of outstanding faculty, staff, administration and executive leadership, West Virginia's colleges and universities have developed student-centered programs and curriculums; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate:*

That the Senate hereby designates January 27, 2015, as "Higher Education Day at the Legislature"; and, be it

*Further Resolved,* That the Senate recognizes the commitment to excellence that the leaders of our colleges and universities have demonstrated; and, be it

*Further Resolved,* That the Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the appropriate officials representing Higher Education Day at the Legislature.

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

Thereafter, at the request of Senator Plymale, and by unanimous consent, the remarks by Senator Sypolt regarding the adoption of

Senate Resolution No. 13 were ordered printed in the Appendix to the Journal.

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

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

Senators Karnes, Boso, Stollings, Unger, D. Hall, Williams, Beach and Kessler offered the following resolution:

**Senate Resolution No. 14**—Designating January 27, 2015, as “Randolph County Day at the Legislature”.

Whereas, Randolph County was founded in 1787 and named in honor of Edmund Jennings Randolph; and

Whereas, Randolph County makes vital contributions to the economy of West Virginia, particularly in the valuable hardwoods industry; and

Whereas, Randolph County’s role in the West Virginia economy has grown and will continue to expand with the completion of Corridor H; and

Whereas, Randolph County has a significant place in the history and formation of West Virginia due to the importance of a major Civil War battle fought in the vicinity of Rich Mountain; and

Whereas, Herman Guy Kump, a resident of Elkins in Randolph County, was elected the 19th Governor of the Great State of West Virginia and fought to support public education and the rights of property owners; and

Whereas, Randolph County serves as a central hub in the Potomac Highlands for health care, education, commerce, the arts and tourism; and

Whereas, Many citizens of Randolph County travel to the State Capitol on an annual basis during the legislative session to participate in the democratic process, where they share their accomplishments, aspirations and concerns with lawmakers; and

Whereas, It is fitting to recognize Randolph County for its economic, cultural, historic and future contributions to the State of West Virginia; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate:*

That the Senate hereby designates January 27, 2015, as “Randolph County Day at the Legislature”; and, be it

*Further Resolved,* The Senate acknowledges the many important contributions the citizens of Randolph County make in the State of West Virginia and encourages those citizens to continue to participate in the democratic process; and, be it

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

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

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

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

Senators Romano, Beach and Williams offered the following resolution:

**Senate Resolution No. 15**—Recognizing Mr. Timothy W. Dyer of the Dyer Insurance Agency for his recent accomplishments and for his long-time dedication to the insurance industry.

Whereas, Timothy W. Dyer was born and raised in Clarksburg, West Virginia, is a graduate of Washington Irving High School in Clarksburg and graduated from West Virginia University with a bachelor's degree in accounting; and

Whereas, Timothy W. Dyer is President and owner of P. M. Long & Son, Inc. (d/b/a Dyer Insurance Agency), which was founded by his family in 1896 and is the oldest insurance agency in Harrison County; and

Whereas, Timothy W. Dyer continues a family tradition as the fifth generation in the insurance business; and

Whereas, Timothy W. Dyer and the Dyer Insurance Agency have grown the business with the additions of the Dyer, Heflin, Bowers & Eckels Agency in Morgantown and the Mountain Lakes Insurance Agency in Buckhannon; and

Whereas, Timothy W. Dyer is entering his thirtieth year as an independent insurance agent and was selected as the 2014 Earle S. Dillard Agent of the Year by the Independent Insurance Agents of West Virginia; and

Whereas, Timothy W. Dyer is the past President of the Independent Insurance Agents of West Virginia and currently serves as the Independent Insurance Agents and Brokers of America State Director; and

Whereas, In 2014, Timothy W. Dyer led the efforts for West Virginia to host the 46th Trusted Choice Big "I" National Championship Golf Tournament at Pete Dye Golf Course by encouraging widespread community support and participation; and

Whereas, Through his efforts, Timothy W. Dyer brought to West Virginia this prestigious national golf tournament, bringing with it hundreds of golfers, family members and spectators, thereby creating economic development for all of West Virginia; and

Whereas, Timothy W. Dyer and his wife of twenty-one years, Julie, have two sons, Nick and Luke, both of whom are excellent golfers; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate:*

That the Senate hereby recognizes Timothy W. Dyer of the Dyer Insurance Agency for his recent accomplishments and for his long-time dedication to the insurance industry; and, be it

*Further Resolved,* That the Clerk is hereby directed to forward a copy of this resolution to Timothy W. Dyer.

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

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

Your Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development has had under consideration

**Senate Bill No. 341** (originating in the Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development)—A Bill to amend and reenact §19-1C-4 of



the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to the Livestock Care Standards Board; and permitting the commissioner to approve and submit rules established by the board.

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

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel J. Hall,  
*Chair.*

The Senate proceeded to the eighth order of business.

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

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. 13) passed with its title.

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

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

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

Pending discussion,

The question being “Shall Engrossed Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 2001 pass?”

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 H. B. No. 2001) passed with its title.

Senator Carmichael moved that the bill take effect from passage.

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

The nays were: None.

Absent: Yost—1.

So, two thirds of all the members elected to the Senate having voted in the affirmative, the President declared the bill (Eng. Com. Sub. for H. B. No. 2001) takes effect from passage.

*Ordered*, That The Clerk communicate to the House of Delegates the action of the Senate and request concurrence in the changed effective date.

The Senate proceeded to the ninth order of business.

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

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

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

The Senate next proceeded to the thirteenth order of business.

At the request of Senator Maynard, the name of Senator Maynard 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 Senator Yost.

Pending announcement of meetings of standing committees of the Senate, including majority and minority party caucuses,

On motion of Senator Carmichael, the Senate adjourned until tomorrow, Wednesday, January 28, 2015, at 11 a.m.

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- 230. Creating Overdose Prevention Act.
- 231. Allowing certain law-enforcement and public safety personnel to possess and administer opioid antagonist.
- 335. Creating Access to Opioid Antagonists Act.

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- 135. Creating Creative Communities Development Act.
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- 246. Establishing grandfather exemption requiring certain School for Deaf and Blind child care workers hold associate's degree.
- 252. Making Schools for Deaf and Blind eligible for School Building Authority funding.
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- 280. Allowing well work permit transfers.

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- 280. Allowing well work permit transfers.

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- 24. Prohibiting public officials and employees from using public funds for self promotion.
- 325. Relating to filing of candidates' financial disclosure statements.
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- 119. Relating to meeting and conference rights for police or fire departments.

- 254. Relating to Fire, EMS and Law-Enforcement Officer Survivor Benefit Act.
- 301. Modifying definition of “member” in Municipal Police and Firefighters Retirement System.

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- 35. Permitting carrying of concealed weapons without license.
- 36. Correcting code reference regarding certain court personnel completing handgun safety requirements before carrying concealed handgun.
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- 118. Permitting certain loaded firearms in motor vehicles on Capitol Complex grounds.
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- 111. Redistributing portion of net racetrack video lottery terminal income dedicated to Development Office Promotion Fund.

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- 44. Lowering threshold for low bidder’s duty to submit subcontractors on government contracts.
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- 132. Reducing school nurse staffing ratio.
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- 262. Transferring CHIP and Children's Health Insurance Agency from Department of Administration to DHHR.

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- 334. Relating to practice of medicine and surgery or podiatry.
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- 28. Requiring health insurance coverage for certain nonnarcotic pain relief systems.
- 97. Relating to air-ambulance fees paid by PEIA.
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- 304. Relating to farmers markets.

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- 11. Relating to workers' compensation disbursements when injury is self inflicted or intentional; permitting recovery in private suit.
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- 99. Relating to mandatory drug testing of legislators and certain recipients of federal and state funds.
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176. Authorizing DHHR promulgate legislative rule relating to nursing home licensure.
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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.
341. Permitting Agriculture Commissioner approve and submit Livestock Care Standards Board rules.

**LEVIES:**

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

**LIABILITY:**

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

**LIBRARIES:**

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

**LIENS:**

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

**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.
- 316. Exempting veteran-owned business from certain fees paid to Secretary of State.

**MINES AND MINERALS:**

- 51. Relating to workers' compensation benefits for occupational pneumoconiosis.
- 72. Establishing additional circumstances requiring miner certification suspension or revocation for substance abuse violations.
- 339. Reducing additional severance tax on coal.

**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.
- 323. Relating to municipal home rule.
- 324. Increasing number of participants in Home Rule Pilot Program.
- 329. Requiring real property seller satisfy unpaid charges to county and municipality.

**NATURAL RESOURCES:**

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

**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.
- 334. Relating to practice of medicine and surgery or podiatry.

**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.
- 329. Requiring real property seller satisfy unpaid charges to county and municipality.

**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.
- 332. Relating to administrative fees for Tax Division, Department of Revenue.
- 338. Relating to Film Industry Investment tax credit.
- 339. Reducing additional severance tax on coal.

**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.
- 330. Adopting Interstate Medical Licensure Compact.

**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 27, 2015

(This symbol \* indicates Committee Substitutes.)

## SENATE BILLS INTRODUCED

(This digest embraces the complete bill list submitted.

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

- \*1. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President), Boley, Carmichael, Ferns, Gaunch, D. Hall, Karnes, Leonhardt, Maynard, Mullins, Nohe, Sypolt, Trump, Walters, Blair, Plymale, Kirkendoll, Stollings and Takubo - **Repealing Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act; creating net metering of customer-generators** (original same as H. B. No. 2001 - similar to H. B. No. 2106, H. B. No. 2201 and H. B. No. 2409) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining - Com. sub. reported 1/19/15 - Amended - Passed Senate with amended title 1/21/15 - To House 1/22/15 - To Energy then Judiciary
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 2nd reading, Daily Calendar 1/28/15
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 - similar to H. B. No. 2443) - 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 3rd reading 1/28/15
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 and 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 - Passed Senate 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 - To House 1/27/15 - To Judiciary

44. By Sen. Yost - **Lowering threshold for low bidder's duty to submit subcontractors on government contracts** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Labor then Government Organization
45. By Sen. Yost, Facemire and Romano - **Allowing transfer of interest in real property when certain co-owner pays all taxes** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
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 - To Judiciary 1/27/15
189. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Insurance Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to annuity disclosure** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
190. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing ABCC promulgate legislative rule relating to nonintoxicating beer licensing and operations procedures** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary
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 - To Judiciary 1/27/15
217. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to livestock care standards** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
218. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to equine rescue facilities** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
219. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to Rural Rehabilitation Loan Program** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Finance then Judiciary - To Finance 1/27/15

220. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to aquaculture importation** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
221. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to industrial hemp** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary - To Judiciary 1/27/15
222. By Sen. Snyder - **Authorizing Agriculture Commissioner promulgate legislative rule relating to dangerous wild animals** - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Judiciary
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** (original similar to H. B. No. 2440) - Introduced 1/15/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
- \*237. By Sen. D. Hall, Romano, Snyder, Facemire and Williams - **Creating Captive Cervid Farming Act** (original similar to H. B. No. 2033) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Agriculture and Rural Development then Finance - Com. sub. reported 1/27/15 - Committee reference dispensed - On 1st reading 1/28/15
238. By Sen. D. Hall, Nohe and Stollings - **Exempting county boards of education from liability arising from unorganized recreation** (original same as H. B. No. 2441) - Introduced 1/16/15 - To Education then Judiciary
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 autocycles** - 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** (original same as H. B. No. 2385) - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Economic Development then Judiciary
274. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Relating to TANF program** (original same as H. B. No. 2382) - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
275. By Sen. Trump, Kessler, Unger, Nohe, Boso, Blair, Prezioso, D. Hall, Beach and Romano - **Relating to confidentiality of concealed weapon permit applicants' information** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Judiciary
276. By Sen. Karnes, Boley, Leonhardt, Maynard, Nohe, Plymale and D. Hall - **Terminating severance tax on timber** (original similar to H. B. No. 2268) - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Finance
277. By Sen. Miller, D. Hall, Laird, Williams and Kirkendoll - **Requiring issuance of certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth** - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Health and Human Resources then Judiciary
278. By Sen. Karnes - **Relating to lawful and unlawful methods of hunting** (original similar to H. B. No. 2420) - Introduced 1/21/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
- \*279. By Sen. Walters, Blair, Gaunch, Boso, Karnes, Maynard and D. Hall - **Clarifying qualifications of Labor Commissioner** (original similar to H. B. No. 2217) -

- Introduced 1/21/15 - To Labor then Judiciary - Com. sub. reported 1/27/15 - To Judiciary 1/27/15
- \*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, 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** (original same as H. B. No. 2177) - 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** (original similar to S. B. No. 321) - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
308. By Sen. Trump and Carmichael - **Changing minimum interest rate paid on judgments or decrees** - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Judiciary
309. By Sen. Trump, Laird, Walters and Nohe - **Authorizing Corrections Commissioner to enter into mutual aid agreements** (original same as H. B. No. 2274) - Introduced 1/26/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
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
314. By Sen. Nohe, Carmichael, Mullins and Blair - **Authorizing indemnity settlement in occupational pneumoconiosis claims** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
315. By Sen. Mullins - **Relating to civil actions filed under Consumer Protection Act** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
316. By Sen. D. Hall, Leonhardt, Trump, Stollings, Plymale, Kirkendoll and Nohe - **Exempting veteran-owned business from certain fees paid to Secretary of State** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Military then Finance

317. By Sen. Miller, Beach, Laird, Walters and Woelfel - **Relating to insurance coverage on state buildings and contents** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Banking and Insurance then Judiciary
318. By Sen. Trump, Karnes, Carmichael and Blair - **Relating to payment of wages by employers** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
319. By Sen. D. Hall and Trump - **Relating to donation of Secretary of State overpayment fees** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Finance
320. By Sen. D. Hall and Trump - **Standardizing notification process for revocation of certificates of authority** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
321. By Sen. Blair - **Creating Paycheck Protection Act** (original similar to S. B. No. 307) - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Labor then Judiciary
322. By Sen. Nohe, Boley, Palumbo, Leonhardt and Trump - **Eliminating mandatory electronic recount of ballots in recounts** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
323. By Sen. Blair - **Relating to municipal home rule** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
324. By Sen. Blair, Trump, Laird, Kessler, D. Hall, Palumbo and Plymale - **Increasing number of participants in Home Rule Pilot Program** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
325. By Sen. Nohe, Boley, Leonhardt, Sypolt, Palumbo, Trump and Blair - **Relating to filing of candidates' financial disclosure statements** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
326. By Sen. Nohe, Boley, Leonhardt, Sypolt, Palumbo, Trump and Blair - **Eliminating campaign finance reporting by candidates for delegate to national convention** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
327. By Sen. Williams and Sypolt - **Requiring public hearing prior to fee simple transfer of real property to or from DNR and Division of Forestry** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Natural Resources then Judiciary
328. By Sen. Boley, Sypolt and D. Hall - **Repealing code section relating to notary public fees** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Finance
329. By Sen. Walters, Leonhardt and Takubo - **Requiring real property seller satisfy unpaid charges to county and municipality** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Government Organization then Finance
330. By Sen. Ferns - **Adopting Interstate Medical Licensure Compact** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Interstate Cooperation then Health and Human Resources



331. By Sen. Palumbo - **Relating to withdrawals and filling vacancies in candidacies** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
332. By Sen. M. Hall - **Relating to administrative fees for Tax Division, Department of Revenue** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Finance
333. By Sen. M. Hall - **Repealing code section removing county officials from office for misconduct or negligence** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
334. By Sen. Ferns - **Relating to practice of medicine and surgery or podiatry** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Government Organization then Health and Human Resources
335. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President) and Kessler [By Request of the Executive] - **Creating Access to Opioid Antagonists Act** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Health and Human Resources
336. By Sen. Ferns and Takubo - **Relating to powers and duties of Health Care Authority** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Government Organization then Judiciary
337. By Sen. Carmichael, Blair, Boso, Sypolt and Trump - **Creating workplace freedom act** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary
338. By Sen. Palumbo, Gaunch, Snyder, M. Hall, Williams, Blair, Unger, Trump and Stollings - **Relating to Film Industry Investment tax credit** - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Economic Development then Finance
339. By Sen. Carmichael, D. Hall and Nohe - **Reducing additional severance tax on coal** (original similar to H. B. No. 2394) - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Energy, Industry and Mining then Finance
340. By Sen. Trump, Carmichael, Blair and Takubo - **Requiring voter provide photo ID** (original similar to H. B. No. 2092 and H. B. 2365) - Introduced 1/27/15 - To Judiciary then Finance
341. Originating in Senate Agriculture and Rural Development - **Permitting Agriculture Commissioner approve and submit Livestock Care Standards Board rules** - Introduced 1/27/15 - On 1st reading 1/28/15

## **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 - On Unfinished Business 1/28/15
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 - To House 1/27/15 - Reference dispensed - Adopted by House 1/27/15
13. By Sen. Ferns, D. Hall and Sypolt - **Urging Congress propose balanced budget amendment** - Introduced 1/27/15 - On Unfinished Business 1/28/15

### **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
13. By Sen. Sypolt, Boley, Stollings, Plymale, Unger, Williams, D. Hall, Beach, Kessler, Nohe and Leonhardt - **Designating January 27, 2015, Higher Education Day at Legislature** - Introduced 1/27/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/27/15
14. By Sen. Karnes, Boso, Stollings, Unger, D. Hall, Williams, Beach and Kessler - **Designating January 27, 2015, Randolph County Day at Legislature** - Introduced 1/27/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/27/15
15. By Sen. Romano, Beach and Williams - **Recognizing independent insurance agent Timothy W. Dyer** - Introduced 1/27/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Adopted 1/27/15

## HOUSE BILLS COMMUNICATED TO SENATE

- \*2001. By Del. Gearheart, Nelson, J., Arvon, Ellington, Folk, White, B., Frich, Hill, Householder, Moffatt and Shott - **Repealing portions of the Alternative and Renewable Energy Portfolio Act** (original same as S. B. No. 1) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Energy then Judiciary - To House Judiciary 1/16/15 - Passed House 1/22/15 - Title amended - To Senate 1/23/15 - Committee reference dispensed - Passed Senate 1/27/15 - Effective from passage - Senate requests House to concur in changed effective date 1/27/15
- \*2002. By Del. Wagner, Overington, Evans, A., Anderson, Waxman, Shott, Kelly, Nelson, E., Folk, Espinosa and Mr. Speaker (Mr. Armstead) - **Predicating actions for damages upon principles of comparative fault** (original same as S. B. No. 2 - similar to S. B. No. 103) - Introduced 1/14/15 - To Judiciary - Amendments pending - Amended - Passed House 1/27/15
- \*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
12. By Sen. Cole (Mr. President), Carmichael and Kessler - **Adopting Joint Rules of Senate and House of Delegates** - Adopted 1/27/15

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# SENATE CALENDAR

Wednesday, January 28, 2015

11:00 A.M.

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## UNFINISHED BUSINESS

S. C. R. No. 8 - Urging US EPA withdraw and/or rescind proposed definition of “waters of the United States”.

S. C. R. No. 13 - Urging Congress propose balanced budget amendment.

## THIRD READING

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

## FIRST READING

Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 237 - Creating Captive Cervid Farming Act (original similar to H. B. No. 2033). **PASSAGE**

S. B. No. 341 - Permitting Agriculture Commissioner approve and submit Livestock Care Standards Board rules. **PASSAGE**

# **ANNOUNCED SENATE COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

**Regular Session 2015**

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**Wednesday, January 28, 2015**

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| 2 p.m. | Natural Resources | (Room No. 451M) |
| 2 p.m. | Pensions          | (Room No. 208W) |