

2017 Legislature
March 24, 2017

HB 12 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB12.htm>
Rep. Sannie Overly (D)

Require a consumer-reporting agency to place a security freeze on a protected person's record or report upon proper request by a representative.

Cf. SB 19

Jan 3-introduced in House; to Banking & Insurance (H)
Feb 28-posted in committee
Mar 1-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar
Mar 2-2nd reading, to Rules (H)
Mar 3-recommitted to Banking & Insurance (H)

HB 33 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB33.htm>
Reps. Kim King (R), Robert Benvenuti III (R), Regina Bunch (R), Charles Miller (D), Kimberly Moser (R), Jason Nemes (R), Melinda Prunty (R) & James Tipton (R)

Require CHFS, if the cabinet is granted custody of a child, to notify the school in which the child is enrolled of persons authorized to contact the child or remove the child from school grounds.

HCS1-Retain original provisions and establish new language to specify the timing of a notice given by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to a school; specify that the notice be a verbal notice and that it be documented by the school.

Similar bills were filed in the last three regular legislative sessions (16RS HB 47; 15RS HB 30; 14RS HB 44), but none of the bills made it out of committee.

Jan 3-introduced in House; to Health & Family Services (H)
Feb 15-posted in committee
Feb 16-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar w/ HCS(1)
Feb 17-2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 21-posted for passage
Feb 22- 3rd reading, passed 99-0 w/HCS
Feb 23-received in Senate
Feb 24-to Health & Welfare (S)
Mar 8- reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar
Mar 14- 2nd reading, to Rules (S)

HB 47 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB47.htm>

Reps. Dennis Keene (D), Charles Miller (D), Regina Bunch (D), & Dennis Horlander (D)

Establish a public central registry for child abuse and neglect.

A similar bill (16 RS HB 475) was filed in the last regular session; it passed the House, but did not make it out of the Senate.

Cf. HB 129

Jan 3-introduced in House; to Health & Family Services (H)

HB 50

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB50.htm>

Rep. Kenny Imes (R), Scott Wells (R) & Addia Wuschner (R)

Amend various parts of KRS Chapter 13A regarding regulations.

HCS1-Delete all new language except for modified cross-references; create a new section of KRS Chapter 13A to establish administrative regulation expiration dates; create a new section of KRS Chapter 13A to set up a certification letter process for any agency that does not want its administrative regulations to expire.

Cf. HB 421

Jan 3-introduced in House; to Licensing, Occupations, and Admin Regs (H)

Feb 17-posted in committee

Feb 21-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar w/ HCS (1)

Feb 22- 2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage

Feb 23- taken from the Consent Orders, placed in the Regular Orders

Feb 27-3rd reading, passed 80-9 w/ HCS

Feb 28-received in Senate; to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

Mar 6 - taken from Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S); 1st reading; returned to Licensing, Occupations, & Administrative Regulations (S)

Mar 7-reported favorably, 2nd reading, to Rules (S)

Mar 8-posted for passage; 3rd reading, passed 37-0

Mar 14- received in House; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House;

enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; delivered to Governor

Mar 21-signed by Governor

HB 63

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB63.htm>

Reps. Joni Jenkins (D) & Addia Wuchner (R)

Allow bench trials in guardianship cases.

Similar bills have been filed in prior sessions (13RS HB 105; 10RS SB 73; 09RS HB 145; 08RS HB 29; 07RS HB236; 07RS SB 72) were filed in previous years, but they did not make it out of their respective committees.

Jan 3-introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB 79 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB79.htm>
Rep. Tom Burch (D)

Create court-ordered Assisted Outpatient Treatment.

Similar bills (16RS HB 95 & HB 105; 15RS HB 103, HB 221, & SB 50) were filed in the previous two regular legislative sessions. Last year, HB 95 passed the House, but not the Senate. In 2015, none of the bills made it out of committee.

Jan 3-introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB 83 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB83.htm>
Rep. Daniel Elliott (R)

Grant immunity to broker-dealers or investment advisers who, with reasonable belief and in good faith, report suspected financial exploitation of eligible adults.

Jan 3-introduced in House; to Banking and Insurance (H)

HB 92 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB92.htm>
Rep. Darryl Owens (D)

Establish 11 years of age as the minimum age of criminal responsibility.

Cf. SB 220

Jan 3-introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

HB 93 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB93.htm>
Rep. Diane St. Onge (R)

Remove the requirement that a service animal be unable to return to work from the elements of the offense of first-degree assault on a service animal.

HCS1/CI-Remove the requirement that a service animal be unable to return to work from the elements of the offense of first-degree assault on a service animal; specify that service animal does not include assistance dogs; and add levels of injury and criminal intent to the elements.

HCA1 (J. Fischer)-Make title amendment.

A similar bill (16RS HB 11) was filed in the 2016 regular session, but it did not make it out of committee.

Jan 3-introduced in House; to Judiciary (H)

Feb 14-posted in committee

Feb 15- reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar w/ HCA (1-title), HCS (1)

Feb 16-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Consent Orders

Feb 21-3rd reading, passed 98-0 w/ HCA (1-title), HCS (1)

Feb 22-received in Senate

Feb 23-to Judiciary (S)

Mar 2-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar

Mar 3-2nd reading, to Rules

Mar 6- posted for passage in the Consent Orders; 3rd reading, passed 38-0; received in House

Mar 7-enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House

Mar 8-enrolled, signed by the President of the Senate; delivered to Governor

Mar 20-signed by Governor

HB 103

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB103.htm>

Rep. Phil Moffett (R)

Create Charter Schools

Cf. HB 520, SB 70

Similar bills (16RS HB 589 & SB 253; 15RS HB 174; 14RS HB 85; 13RS SB 176; 12RS HB 77; 11RS HB 103 & SB 3; 10RS HB 21& HB 583; & 08RS HB 578) were filed in previous legislative sessions. 11RS SB 3 passed the Senate but not the House .

Jan 3-introduced in House

Jan 6-to Education (H)

HB 110

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB110.htm>

Rep. Jim Wayne (D)

Establish the External Detainee Fatality Review Panel to conduct reviews of all fatalities of individuals detained in county or regional jails or any facility operated by DOC, DJJ, or an entity under contract with either department.

A similar bill (16RS HB 400) was filed in the 2016 regular legislative session, but it did not make it out of committee.

Jan 3-introduced in House

Jan 6-to Judiciary (H)

HB 118 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB118.htm>
Rep. Jody Richards (D)

Make changes regarding mail-in absentee ballots.

Cf. HB 258, SB 65, & SB 137

A similar bill (16RS HB 290) was filed in the 2016 regular session, but it did not make it out of committee.

Jan 3-introduced in House

Jan 6-to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB 129 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB129.htm>
Reps. Stan Lee (R), Robert Benvenuti (R), Russ A. Meyer (D) & C.
Wesley Morgan (R)

Establish the child abuse or neglect perpetrator registry (CANPR).

[HCS1](#)-Require the Department of Kentucky State Police to establish the child abuse registry; limit the registry to certain child abuse offenders; provide that a portion of expungement fees go to the Department of Kentucky State Police.

[HCA1](#) (J. Fischer)-Make title amendment.

[HFA1](#) (A. Wuchner)-Expand the list of registrable offenses.

[HFA2](#) (A. Wuchner)-Make title amendment.

Cf. HB 47

A similar bill (16RS HB 475) was filed in the 2016 regular session; it passed the House, but did not make it out of the Senate.

Jan 4-introduced in House

Feb 7- to Judiciary (H)

Feb 21-posted in committee

Feb 22- reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with HCA (1-title) and HCS

Feb 23-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage; HFA(1) filed to HCS, HFA (2-title) filed

Mar 1-3rd reading, passed 84-0 with HCS, HFA (1) and (2-title)

Mar 2-received in Senate; to Judiciary (S)

Mar 6- taken from Judiciary (S); 1st reading; returned to Judiciary (S)

Mar 7-taken from Judiciary (S); 2nd reading; returned to Judiciary (S)

HB 169 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB169.htm>

Reps. Robert Benvenuti (R), Stan Lee (R), Kevin Bratcher (R), David Hale (R), David Meade (R), Mark Hart (R), Kim King (R), Steve Riggs (D), Sal Santoro (R), John Sims, Jr. (D), Jim Stewart III (R), Russell Webber (R) & Susan Westrom (D)

Amend statutes regarding crime victims. Part of Marsy's Law.

Cf. HB 171, SB 15, SB 115

Jan 7-introduced in House
Feb 7-Judiciary (H)

HB 170

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB170.htm>

Reps. Darryl Owens (D), Joni Jenkins (D), Derrick Graham (D) & Arnold Simpson (D), McKenzie Cantrell (D), Will Coursey (D), Dean Schamore (D), Rocky Adkins (D), George Brown Jr. (D), Tom Burch (D), Jeffrey Donohue (D), Kelly Flood (D), Al Gentry (D), Derrick Graham, Chris Harris (D), Angie Hatton (D), James Kay (D), Dennis Keene (D), Mary Lou Marzian (D), Ruth Ann Palumbo (D) Jody Richards (D), Steve Riggs (D), Attica Scott (D), Arnold Simpson (D), John Sims Jr. (D), Wilson Stone (D), Jim Wayne (D), and Susan Westrom (D)

Amend the Kentucky Constitution regarding felons' ability to vote.

Similar bills (16RS HB 70, SB 213 & SB 299; 15RS HB 26, HB 70, SB 26, & SB 70; 14RS HB 70 & SB 15; 13RS HB 70; 12RS HB 70; 11RS HB 70; 09RS HB 70; & 08RS HB 70) were filed in previous legislative sessions. All the House bills from 2008 -2015 passed the House but not the Senate. In 2016, HB 70 passed the House but not the Senate, and SB 299 passed the Senate but not the House.

Cf. SB 69

Jan 7-introduced in House
Feb 7-to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)
Mar 14- discharge petition filed

HB 171

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB171.htm>

Reps. Robert Benvenuti (R), Stan Lee (R), Kevin Bratcher (R) & David Meade (R)

Amend the Kentucky Constitution regarding crime victim's rights. Part of Marsy's Law.

Cf. HB 169, SB 15 & SB 115

Jan 7-introduced in House
Feb 7-to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB 180

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB180.htm>

Reps. Addia Wuchner (R), Melinda Gibbons Prunty (R), Daniel Elliott (R), Derrick Graham (D), Reginald Meeks (D), & Susan Westrom (D)

Establish that CHFS may approve fictive kin as a placement for a child.

Feb 7-introduced in House

Feb 8-to Health and Family Services (H); posted in committee

Feb 9-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

Feb 10-2nd reading, to Rules

Feb 13-posted for passage

Feb 15-3rd reading, passed 96-0

Feb 16-received in Senate

Feb 17-to Health & Welfare (S)

Feb 22-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar

Feb 23-2nd reading, to Rules (S)

Feb 27-posted for passage in the Consent Orders

Feb 28-3rd reading, passed 37-0; received in House

Mar 1-enrolled, signed by the Speaker of the House

Mar 2-enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; delivered to Governor

Mar 10-signed by Governor

HB 244

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB244.htm>

Rep. Jerry T. Miller (R)

Allow physician assistants and chiropractors to authorize accessible parking plates for persons with certain disabilities.

Feb 7-introduced in House

Feb 9-to Transportation (H)

Feb 13-posted in committee

Feb 14-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar

Feb 15-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage

Feb 16-3rd reading, passed 96-0

Feb 17-received in Senate

Feb 21-to Transportation (S)

HB 249

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB249.htm>

Rep. Tim Moore (R)

Allow persons with valid concealed deadly weapon licenses or temporary permits to carry them in schools, except in courtrooms or in detention facilities.

HFA1 (M. Marzian)-Require that a handgun be provided to each person who is granted a professional license from the state.

[HFA2](#) (M. Marzian)-Require that handguns be provided to any person acquiring a commercial driver's license or an operator's license.

[HFA3](#) (M. Marzian)-Require that a handgun be provided to each parent and child upon the registry and certification of a live birth.

[HFA4](#) (M. Marzian)-Require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to provide a handgun to each adoptive parent and the adopted child when a new birth certificate is issued.

[HFA5](#) (M. Marzian)-Require that county clerks provide handguns to each party named on any application for a marriage license.

[HFA6](#) (M. Marzian)-Require county clerks to provide handguns to each signatory to a recorded mortgage or deed.

Feb 7-introduced in the House

Feb 9-Education (H)

Feb 27- HFAs (1), (2), (3), (4), (5) and (6) filed

HB 250 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB250.htm>

Reps. Kelly Flood (D) & Sannie Overly (D)

Amend 2016-2018 executive branch biennial budget to include provisions for the Preschool Education Program, colon cancer screening and cervical cancer screening; APPROPRIATION; EMERGENCY.

Feb 7-introduced in House

Feb 9-to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB 258 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB258.htm>

Rep. James Tipton (R)

Make changes regarding mail-in absentee ballots.

[HFA1](#) (J. Richards)-State methods by which applications for an absentee ballot may be transmitted to and returned by the voter.

[HFA2](#) (J. Tipton)-Restore the allotted time of seven days during which a qualified voter with disabilities can apply for a mail-in absentee ballot.

[HFA3](#) (J. Tipton) - Restore existing codified language, but retain the provision that allows a legal guardian the ability to request and deliver a mail-in absentee ballot application to a voter who has a medical emergency.

Cf. HB 118, SB 65, SB 137

Feb 8-introduced in House

Feb 13-to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

Feb 17-posted in committee

Feb 27- reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar; HFA (1) filed

Feb 28-2nd reading, to Rules; HFAs (2) & (3) filed

Mar 1-posted for passage in the Regular Orders

HB 307

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB307.htm>

Reps. Addia Wuchner (R) & John Carney (R)

Revise the definition of "dyslexia" and require each school district to develop a policy related to dyslexia and screening tools, including dyslexia resources for teachers.

HCS1-Retain original provisions except add definition of universal screening tool; and add requirements for use of the universal screening tool.

SCS1 - Retain original provisions, except delete definition of universal screening tool and related language; require each school district to report on implementation of response-to-intervention by December 31, 2017; delete the requirement for each school district to establish a response-to-intervention policy; require the school district to either provide additional screening or make a referral when a student is identified with dyslexia characteristics; require the Kentucky Center for Education and Workforce Statistics to report intervention data to the Interim Joint Committee on Education and the Interim Joint Committee on Health and Welfare.

Feb 10-introduced in House

Feb 14-Education (H)

Feb 16- posting waived; posted in committee

Feb 17-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar w/ HCS (1)

Feb 21-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage

Feb 22-3rd reading, passed 99-0 with HCS (1)

Feb 23- received in Senate

Feb 24-to Education (S)

Mar 14- reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar w/ SCS

Mar 15-2nd reading, to Rules (S)

HB 331

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB331.htm>

Rep. Mary Lou Marzian (D)

Require the Department of Highways to post signs in English and in Spanish with the National Human Trafficking Resource Center telephone hotline number in every restroom on the premises of each rest area located in Kentucky.

Cf. HB 406, HB 524, SB 41

Feb 13 - introduced in House

Feb 15- to Transportation (H)

HB 332

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB332.htm>

Reps. Addia Wuchner (R), Joseph M. Fischer (R), Kenny Imes (R), Adam Koenig (R) & Scott Wells (R)

Create a new section of KRS Chapter 13A to delay the effective date of ordinary administrative regulations with a major economic impact until the effective date of legislation ratifying the administrative regulation; specify short title as the Kentucky Regulations from the Executive in Need of Scrutiny (REINS) Act.

[HFA1](#) (J. Fischer)-Limit the effect of the bill to regulations promulgated after the effective date of the bill; and revise the definition of "major economic impact".

Feb 13- introduced in House
Feb 15-to State Government (H)
Feb 22-posted in committee
Feb 23-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 24-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage
Feb 27-HFA (1) filed

HB 335 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB335.htm>
Rep. Mary Lou Marzian (D)

Require a school district's code to prohibit bullying; including bullying that is motivated by the student's race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry or ethnicity, sexual orientation, disability, gender, gender identity and expression, or other distinguishing characteristics.

Feb 13-introduced in House
Feb 15- to Education (H)

HB 353 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB353.htm>
Rep. Phil Moffett (R)

Propose to call a convention to revise or amend the Kentucky Constitution.

Feb 14-introduced in House
Feb 15-to Elections, Const. Amendments & Intergovernmental Affairs (H)

HB 361 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB361.htm>
Rep. Dennis Keene (D)

Provide more rights for children who are victims of crimes and protections of children from registered sex offenders; allow a parent or guardian to request a background check of child abuse and neglect records; and require superintendents to run a name-based background check of child abuse and neglect records for employees.

Feb 14-introduced in House
Feb 15-to Judiciary (H)

HB 365 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB365.htm>
Rep. Jeff Greer (D)

Require an MCO that provides Medicaid benefits from requiring the use of mail-order pharmacies and prohibit a difference in cost-sharing between retail and mail-order

Feb 14-introduced in House
Feb 15-to Health and Family Services (H)

HB 389 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB389.htm>
Rep. Melinda Gibbons Prunty (R)

Require paramedics to receive pediatric abusive head trauma training; require paramedics, emergency medical technicians, first responders, state police officers, local governmental police officers, firefighters, and emergency medical services personnel to receive autism training. Kaleb's Law.

Feb 15-introduced in House
Feb 16-to Veterans, Military Affairs, and Public Protection (H)

HB 402 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB402.htm>
Reps. Regina Bunch (R) & Addia Wuchner (R)

Prohibit youth camps from employing, contracting, or utilizing as a volunteer a person who committed a sex crime, is a violent offender, or has abused or neglected a child, and require criminal background checks. Allow a parent or guardian to request a background check of child abuse and neglect records. Require superintendents to run a name-based background check of child abuse and neglect records for employees.

Cf. SB 236

Feb 15-introduced in House
Feb 16-Judiciary (H)
Mar 6-posted in committee

HB 406 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB406.htm>
Reps. John Blanton (R), Addia Wuchner (R), & Steve Riley (R)

Promote human trafficking involving commercial sexual activity as a criminal offense against a minor if the victim is under 18 and require public schools to display the National Human Trafficking Reporting Hotline; give

the Attorney General concurrent jurisdiction in human trafficking prosecutions; require the Department of Highways to post the hotline number of the National Human Trafficking Resource Center in all rest areas.

Cf. HB 331, HB 524, SB 41

Feb 15-introduced in House
Feb 16 to Judiciary (H)
Feb 23-Withdrawn

HB 409

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB409.htm>
Reps. Chad McCoy (R) & Addia Wuchner (R)

Add specific injuries to a child under 12 to the definition of "serious physical injury."

HCS1/CI-Retain original provisions of the bill except to add any injury requiring admission to a hospital's critical care unit.

SFA1 (R. Alvarado)-Retain original provisions of the bill; add medical malpractice actions, actions arising out of review of credentials or retrospective review and evaluation, and actions by an applicant for or grantee of staff privileges to materials that are confidential and privileged and not subject to discovery, subpoena, or introduction into evidence, in any civil action in any court.

SFA2 (R. Alvarado) - Make title amendment.

Feb 15-introduced in House
Feb 16-to Judiciary (H)
Feb 21-reassigned to Health and Family Services (H)
Feb 22-posted in committee
Feb 23-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar with HCS (1)
Feb 24-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage
Feb 28-3rd reading, passed 97-0 w/HCS (1); received in Senate
Mar 1-Judiciary (S)
Mar 6- taken from Judiciary (S); 1st reading; returned to Judiciary (S)
Mar 7-reported favorably, 2nd reading, to Rules as a consent bill
Mar 8-SFA(1) and (2-title) filed
Mar 14-posted for passage in the Consent Orders; taken from the Consent Orders; placed in the Regular Orders; passed over and retained in the Orders; 3rd reading, passed 25-13 w/SFA (1) and (2-title); received in House; to Rules (H)
Mar 15-Withdrawn

HB 418

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB418.htm>
Rep. Dean Schamore (D), David Hale (R), & Jody Richards (D)

Establish an adoption benefit program for state employees and raise the adoption assistance maximums to Kentucky National Guard Adoption Assistance to \$6,000 in unreimbursed direct costs related to the adoption of a child with special needs.

Feb 16-introduced in House
Feb 21-to State Government (H)

HB 421 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB421.htm>
Rep. Scott Wells (R)

Change the Administrative Regulation Review process.

Cf. HB 50

Feb 16-introduced in House
Feb 21-to State Government (H)

HB 436 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB436.htm>
Rep. Addia Wuchner (R)

Exclude STABLE account contributions from adjusted gross income for state income tax purposes and require reporting of information relating to deductions STABLE account contributions to Department of Revenue and Legislative Research Commission

Feb 16-introduced in House
Feb 21-to Appropriations & Revenue (H)

HB 450 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB450.htm>
Rep. Stan Riley (R)

Require health benefit plans to include telehealth services.

Feb 16-introduced in House
Feb 21-to Health and Family Services (H)

HB 460 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB460.htm>
Rep. Jim DeCesare (R)

Declare a petition of dependency, neglect, or abuse based solely on a child's attendance to be an act to enforce compulsory attendance laws; require a director of pupil personnel to document home conditions of a student and intervention strategies when filing a dependency, neglect, or abuse petition; require a school give notice to a parent before filing a dependency, neglect, or abuse petition based solely on a child's

attendance or truancy.

Feb 17-introduced in House

Feb 21-to Health and Family Services (H)

HB 477

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB477.htm>

Rep. Stan Lee (R)

Establish the Students with Special Needs Scholarship Program.

Feb 17-introduced in House

Feb 21-to Education (H)

HB 520

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB520.htm>

Rep. John Carney (R)

Establish Charter Schools.

[HCS1/AA](#)-Retain original provisions; identify additional charter school authorizers; prohibit the establishment of virtual charter schools; delete funding provisions; clarify collective bargaining provisions; delete language related to employee retirement benefits.

[HCA1](#) (J. Carney)- Make title amendment.

[HFA1](#) (L. Bechler)- Create a new Section of KRS Chapter 160 to define opportunity schools and identify the Kentucky Board of Education's role in authorizing opportunity schools; identify the requirements for a school applying to become an opportunity school.

[HFA2](#) (L. Bechler)-Make title amendment.

[HFA3](#) (S. Overly)-Require public charter schools to give priority enrollment preference to students who qualify for free or reduced-price lunch and students who attend low-achieving schools.

[SCS1/AA](#) - Retain original provisions; specify mayors who can serve as authorizers; clarify definition of "regional achievement zone"; specify hiring of qualified teachers only; require use of specific systems to report student data and financial data; allow monthly report of school purchases over \$10,000; delete all language related to transportation of students; clarify charter school student participation in interscholastic athletics; delete provisions to allow charter school authorizer fees; clarify requirements for establishing a conversion charter school; add severability clause.

[SFA1](#) (G. Neal)-Require charter school authorizer to give preference to charter applications that demonstrate intent to provide comprehensive learning services to at-risk and special needs students.

[SFA2](#) (G. Neal)-Delete language that allows an appeal of a denied amendment to a charter contract.

[SFA3](#) (G. Neal)-Allow a charter school to request exemptions from existing statutes and regulations.

[SFA4](#)(G. Neal)-Require at least one-half of the members of a charter school board of directors to be parents of students enrolled in a charter

school; require parent board members to be elected by parents of charter school students; allow charter school teachers to be members of a charter school board of directors.

[SFA5](#) (G. Neal)-Delete the right to appeal to the state board the final decision of an authorizer.

[SFA6](#) (G. Neal)-Delete language that would allow a public school to convert to a public charter school.

[SFA7](#) (G. Neal)-Delete conversion public charter schools; require instruction to be delivered by qualified teachers; include non-profit in the definition of charter schools; limit charter authorizer to the local board of education of the largest school district in a county.

[SFA8](#) (G. Neal)-Clarify that a public charter school hire only qualified teachers to deliver instruction to students.

[SFA9](#) (G. Neal)-Allow for local discretion and ensure impact on existing schools is considered during charter school authorization.

[SFA10](#) (G. Neal)-Clarify that a public charter school is a nonprofit public body corporate and politic.

[SFA11](#) (G. Neal)-Require federal and state categorical funds to be distributed to eligible students in charter schools in the same manner as distributed in noncharter public schools.

[SFA12](#) (G. Neal)-Delete mayors from the list of those included as authorizers of charter schools.

Similar bills (16RS HB 589 & SB 253; 15 RS HB 174; 14 RS HB 85; 13RS SB 176; 12RS HB 77; 11RS HB 103 & SB 3; 10RS HB 21 & HB 583; & 08RS HB 578) were filed in previous legislative sessions. 11RS SB 3 passed the Senate but did not pass the House.

Cf. HB 103, SB 70

Feb 17-introduced in House

Feb 21-to Education (H)

Feb 27-taken from Education (H); 1st reading; returned to Education (H)

Mar 2-posted in committee; taken from Education (H); 2nd reading; returned to Education (H); posted in committee

Mar 3-reported favorably, to Rules w/ HCS and HCA(1-title); HFAs (1) and (3) filed to HCS, HFA (2-title) filed; posted for passage in the Regular Orders; 3rd reading, passed 56-39 w/ HCS and HCA (1-title)

Mar 6- received in Senate

Mar 7-to Education (S); taken from Education (S); 1st reading; returned to Education (S)

Mar 8- taken from Education (S);2ndreading; returned to Education (S)

Mar 15- reported favorably, to Rules w/ SCS; posted for passage in the Regular Orders; 3rd reading; SFA's (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), (6), (7), (8), (9), (10), (11), and (12) filed to SCS; passed 23-15 w/SCS; received in House; to Rules (H); posted for passage for concurrence in SCS; House concurred in SCS; Bill passed 53-43;

enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; enrolled, signed by
President of the Senate; delivered to Governor
Mar 21-signed by Governor

HB 524

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HB524.htm>

Reps. Addia Wuchner (R) , John Blanton (R), Danny Bentley (R),
McKenzie Cantrell (D), Mark Hart (R), Donna Mayfield (R), C. Wesley
Morgan (R), Rob Rothenburger (R) & Susan Westrom (D)

Include promoting human trafficking involving commercial sexual activity
as a criminal offense against a minor if the victim is under 18; amend KRS
156.095 to require public schools to display the National Human
Trafficking Reporting Hotline; amend KRS 176.415 to require the
Department of Highways to post the hotline number of the National
Human Trafficking Resource Center in all rest areas.

[SCS1/CI/LM](#) - Retain original provisions of the bill; amend KRS 500.080 to
add specific injuries to a child under 12 to the definition of "serious
physical injury."

[SCA1](#) (W. Westerfield)-Make title amendment.

[SFA1](#) (R. Alvarado)-Make title amendment.

[SFA2](#) (R. Alvarado)-Amend KRS 311.377 to add medical malpractice
actions, actions arising out of review of credentials or retrospective review
and evaluation, and actions by an applicant for or grantee of staff
privileges to materials that are confidential and privileged and not subject
to discovery, subpoena, or introduction into evidence, in any civil action in
any court.

Cf. HB 331, HB 406, SB 41

Feb 17- Introduced in House

Feb 21-to Judiciary (H); posted in committee

Feb 22-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar

Feb 23-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage

Feb 24-taken from the Consent Orders, placed in the Regular Orders

Mar 3-3rd reading, passed 81-0

Mar 6- received in the Senate

Mar 7-to Judiciary (S); taken from Judiciary (S); 1st reading; returned to
Judiciary (S)

Mar 8- to Judiciary (S); taken from Judiciary (S); 2nd reading; returned to
Judiciary (S)

Mar 14-reported favorably, to Rules with SCS and SCA (1-title) as a
consent bill; SFA (1-title) filed and (2) filed to SCS

HCR 6

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HCR6.htm>

Rep. Kevin Bratcher (R)

Direct LRC to establish a task force to develop a strategy and funding mechanism to provide care for medically fragile adults with ID/DD.

[HCS1](#) - Direct the CHFS to present on the efforts of a 1915(c) Waiver Redesign group to the Interim Joint Committee on Health and Welfare and the Medicaid Oversight Committee in August; direct the CHFS to include 1 Representative and 1 Senator on the 1915(c) redesign working group.
[HCA1](#) (A. Wuchner)-Make title amendment.

Jan 3-introduced in House; to Health & Family Services (H)
Feb 15-posted in committee
Feb 16-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar w/ HCA (1-title) and HCS (1)
Feb 17-2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 21-posted for passage
Feb 22-3rd reading, passed 99-0 with HCS and HCA (1-title)
Feb 23-received in Senate
Feb 24-to Health & Wealth (S)
Mar 1- reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Mar 2-2nd reading, to Rules (S)
Mar 15-recommitted to Health and Welfare (S)

HCR 15 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HCR15.htm>
Rep. Tom Burch (D)

Urge the Governor to request HHS to designate people with intellectual and developmental disabilities as a medically underserved population in Kentucky.

A similar bill (16RS HCR 174) was filed in the 2016 regular legislative session. It passed the House, but did not make it out of the Senate.

Jan 3-introduced in House
Jan 6-to Health & Family Services (H)

HCR 100 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/HCR100.htm>
Reps. Jonathan Shell (R), Kimberly Moore (R), DJ Johnson (R), Adam Koenig (R), & Melinda Prunty (R)

Direct the Program Review Committee to complete a study of the Supports for Community Living Waiver Program reimbursements for private providers.

Feb 16-introduced in House
Feb 21-to Health and Family Services (H)
Mar 1-posted
Mar 2-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Mar 3-2nd reading, to Rules

Mar 6 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders; 3rd reading, passed 93-0; received in Senate
Mar 7-to Health & Welfare (S)
Mar 14, 2017 - taken from Health & Welfare (S); 1st reading; returned to Health & Welfare (S)

SB 1

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB1.htm>

Sens. Mike Wilson (R), David Givens (R), Danny Carroll (R), Damon Thayer (R) & Max Wise (R)

Align Kentucky with ESSA standards.

SCS1-Delete language to allow a foreign language course, career and technical education course, or a computer technology or programming course to meet the arts and humanities requirement for high school graduation; add language regarding a school's incorporation of an effective writing program.

HFA1 (R. Nelson)-Require incorporation of visual and performing arts, practical living and career studies, and foreign language standards in a school's summative evaluation.

HFA2 (J. Richards)-Include advanced learners in a school district's response-to-intervention system.

HFA3 (S. Overly)-Require incorporation of visual and performing arts, practical living and career studies, and foreign language standards in a school's summative evaluation.

HFA4 (M. Hart)-Require incorporation of visual and performing arts, practical living and career studies, and foreign language standards in a school's summative evaluation.

HFA5 (M. Hart)-Provide that the Kentucky Department of Education may develop program standards for visual and performing arts.

A similar bill (16 RS SB 1) was filed last year; it passed the Senate, but did not make it through the House Education committee.

Jan 3-introduced in Senate; taken from Committee on Committees (S); 1st reading; returned to Committee on Committees (S); to Education (S)

Jan 4-taken from Education (S); 2nd reading; returned to Education (S)

Feb 16-reported favorably, to Rules w/ SCS (1); posted for passage

Feb 17-3rd reading, passed 35-0 w/ SCS (1)

Feb 21-received in House

Feb 22- to Education (H)

Mar 6-posted

Mar 7-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar, HFA's (1), (2), & (3) filed

Mar 8-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Regular Orders

Mar 14, 2017-HFA (4) and (5) filed

Mar 15-HFA's (4) and (5) filed; 3rd reading, passed 94-0 w/HFAs (2) and (5); received in Senate

SB 4

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB4.htm>

Sens. Ralph Alvarado (R), Damon Thayer (R), Rick Girdler (R), Stan Humphries (R), Alice Forgy Kerr (R), Stephen Meredith (R), Whitney Westerfield (R) & Max Wise (R)

Establish a medical review panel system for use in civil litigation relating to health care providers.

[SCS1/LM](#)-Retain original provisions; require director of the KBA to provide list of attorneys eligible to serve as chairperson of a medical review panel.

[SFA1](#) (R. Jones II)-Require staff-to-resident ratios in LTCs, but exempt ICFs/ID, IMDs, PCHs, and FCHs.

[SFA2](#) (R. Jones II)-Establish a registry of decubitus ulcers, pressure sores, and other lesions caused or exacerbated by inadequate care in a long-term-care facility; require each LTC facility to prepare and file a detailed security plan; permit fines if a resident leaves.

[SFA3](#) (R. Jones II)-Permit certain waivers of the medical review panel process.

[SFA4](#) (R. Jones II)-Permit a waiver of the medical review panel process in the case of the overprescribing or incorrect prescribing of a medication.

[SFA5](#) (R. Jones II)-Make title amendment.

[SFA6](#) (R. Jones II)-Allow plaintiff to waive participation in the medical review process under certain circumstances.

[SFA7](#) (R. Jones II)-Exempt those cases that involve a detained object following a medical procedure.

[SFA8](#) (R. Jones II)-Remove requirement for use of a review panel for prior malpractice or complaint to the Board of Medical Licensure.

[SFA9](#) (R. Jones II)-Remove requirement for use of a review panel for prior malpractice or complaint to the Board of Medical Licensure.

[SFA10](#) (R. Jones II)-Require a substance abuse screening program for employees of LTC facilities.

[SFA11](#) (R. Jones II)-Require staff-to-resident ratios in LTCs but exempt ICFs/ID, IMDs, PHCs and FCHs.

[SFA12](#) (R. Jones II)-Require CHFS to establish a registry of decubitus ulcers, pressure sores, and other lesions caused or exacerbated by inadequate care in a long-term-care facility.

[SFA13](#) (R. Jones II)-Permit certain waivers of the medical review panel process.

[SFA14](#) (R. Jones II)-Permit a waiver of the medical review panel process in the case of the overprescribing or incorrect prescribing of a medication.

[SFA15](#) (R. Jones II)-Allow plaintiff to waive participation in the medical review process under certain circumstances.

[SFA16](#) (R. Jones II)-Exempt those cases that involve a detained object following a medical procedure.

[SFA17](#) (R. Jones II)-Remove requirement for use of a review panel for prior malpractice or complaint to the Board of Medical Licensure.

[SFA18](#) (R. Jones II)-Remove requirement for use of a review panel for prior malpractice or complaint to the Board of Medical Licensure.

[SFA19](#) (R. Jones II)-Require a substance abuse screening program for employees of long-term-care facilities; APPROPRIATION.

[HFA1](#) (K. Sinnette)-Require CHFS to establish a registry of decubitus ulcers, pressure sores, and other lesions caused or exacerbated by inadequate care in a long-term-care facility.

[HFA2](#) (K. Sinnette)-Require staff-to-resident ratios in LTCs but exempt ICFs/ID, IMDs, PHCs and FCHs.

[HFA3](#) (K. Sinnette)-Permit a waiver of the medical review panel process in the case of the overprescribing or incorrect prescribing of a medication.

[HFA4](#) (K. Sinnette)-Allow plaintiff to waive participation in the medical review process under certain circumstances.

[HFA5](#) (K. Sinnette)-Exempt those cases that involve a detained object following a medical procedure.

[HFA6](#) (C. Harris)-Require a substance abuse screening program for employees of LTCs: APPROPRIATION.

[HFA7](#) (C. Harris)-Make title amendment.

[HFA8](#) (C. Harris)-Remove requirement for use of a review panel for prior malpractice or complaint to the Board of Medical Licensure.

[HFA9](#) (C. Harris)-Remove requirement for use of a review panel for prior malpractice or complaint to the Board of Medical Licensure.

[HFA10](#) (C. Harris)-Allow plaintiff to waive participation in the medical review process under certain circumstances.

[HFA11](#) (C. McCoy)-Allow filing of medical malpractice action without use of medical review panel in certain cases.

[HFA12](#) (K. Sinnette)-Require staff-to-resident ratios in LTCs as a condition of licensure or re-licensure but exempt ICFs/DD, IMDs, PCHs and FHPs.

[HFA13](#) (K. Sinnette)-Permit a waiver of the medical review panel process in the case of the overprescribing or incorrect prescribing of a medication.

[HFA14](#) (K. Sinnette)-Permit certain waivers of the medical review panel process.

[HFA15](#) (K. Sinnette)-Exempt those cases that involve a detained object following a medical procedure.

[HFA16](#) (K. Sinnette)-Require the Cabinet for Health and Family Services (CHFS) to establish a registry of decubitus ulcers, pressure sores, and other lesions caused or exacerbated by inadequate care in an LTC facility

[HFA17](#) (C. McCoy)-Allow filing of medical malpractice action without use of medical review panel in certain cases.

[HFA18](#) (C. Harris)-Allow plaintiff to waive participation in the medical review process under certain circumstances.

[HFA19](#) (C. Harris)- Remove requirement for use of a review panel in a suit against a health care provider that has previously been sued for malpractice or previously been the subject of a complaint to the Board of Medical Licensure.

[HFA20](#) (C. Harris)-Remove requirement for use of a review panel in a suit

against a health care provider that has previously been sued for malpractice or previously been the subject of a complaint to the Board of Medical Licensure.

[HFA21](#) (C. Harris)-Require a substance abuse screening program for employees of LTC facilities; direct CHFS to establish a National and State Background Check Program for prospective employees of LTC facilities, providers, and representatives of the cabinet who perform inspections of LTC facilities or providers; and require a registry check of the nurse aide abuse registry and other registries. APPROPRIATION.

Two bills (14RS SB 119, 13RS SB 9) have been filed in previous legislative sessions. Both bills passed the Senate but not the House.

Jan 3-introduced in Senate; taken from Committee on Committees (S); 1st reading; returned to Committee on Committees (S); to Health & Welfare (S)

Jan 4-taken from Health & Welfare (S); 2nd reading; returned to Health & Welfare (S); SFA (1) (2) (3) (4) (5-title) (6) (7) (8) (9) and (10) filed

Jan 5-reported favorably, to Rules with SCS (1); posted for passage; 3rd reading; SFAs (1) (2) (3) (4) (5-title) (6) (7) (8) (9) and (10) ruled out of order; passed 23-13 with SCS (1); SFAs (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) and (19) filed to SCS; SFAs (11) (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) and (19) ruled out of order; received in House; to Health & Family Services (H); taken from Health & Family Services (H); 1st reading; returned to H & FS (H)

Jan 6-HFAs (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) (6) (7-title) (8) (9) and (10) filed

Feb 23-taken from Health and Family Services (H); 2nd reading; returned to Health and Family Services (H)

Feb 27-posted in committee

Feb 28-HFA (11) filed

Mar 1-reported favorably, to Rules w/ HCS; posted for passage in the Regular Orders; HFAs (12) (13) (14) (15) (16) (17) (18) (19) (20) and (21) filed to HCS; 3rd reading, passed 51-45 with HCS

Mar 2-received in Senate; to Rules (S); posted for passage for concurrence in HCS

Mar 3-Senate concurred in HCS; Bill passed 25-11

Mar 6-enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; delivered to Governor

Mar 16-signed by Governor

SB 15

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB15.htm>

Sens. Whitney Westerfield (R), Damon Thayer (R), Julie Raque Adams (R) & Danny Carroll (R)

Amend the Kentucky Constitution regarding crime victim's rights. Part of Marsy's Law

Cf. HB 169, HB 171, SB 115

Jan 3-introduced in Senate
Jan 7-to State & Local Gvt. (S)

SB 19

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB19.htm>

Sens. Ralph Alvarado (R), Danny Carroll (R) & Rick Girdler (R)

Require a consumer-reporting agency to place a security freeze on a protected person's record or report upon proper request by a representative.

SCS1-Keep original provisions; amend to correct internal reference and add delayed effective date of January 1, 2018.

Cf. HB 12

Jan 3-introduced in Senate

Jan 7-to Judiciary (S)

Feb 9-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar w/ SCS (1)

Feb 10-2nd reading, to Rules

Feb 13-posted for passage

Feb 15-3rd reading, passed 36-0 w/ SCS (1)

Feb 16-received in House

Feb 21-to Banking & Insurance (H)

Mar 6 - posted in committee

Mar 7- taken from Banking & Insurance (H); 1st returned; returned to Banking & Insurance (H)

Mar 8- reported favorably, 2nd reading, to Rules as a Consent Bill

Mar 14- posted for passage in the Consent Orders

Mar 15-3rd reading, passed 97-0; received in Senate; enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; delivered to Governor

SB 20

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB20.htm>

Sen. Whitney Westerfield (R)

Require agencies involved with the juvenile justice system to report statistics, including age, race, gender, and presence of a disability to determine whether there is disproportionate minority contact with the juvenile justice, social welfare, and educational discipline systems; allows P&A to investigate the use of restraint and seclusion in schools; create a minimum age of criminal responsibility of 12 years of age and provide different options to assist with children remaining in their least restrictive environment.

SCS1/LM-Retain original provisions, except delete sections relating to use of restraint and seclusion in schools, to youthful offender proceedings, and

to creating a minimum age of criminal responsibility; make various technical corrections.

[SCA1](#) (W. Westerfield)-Remove change from existing statutory text to retain existing prohibition that a prosecutor may not file a petition under certain circumstances.

A similar bill (SB 270: 16 RS) was filed in the previous regular legislative session, but it did not make it out of committee.

Feb 10-introduced in Senate

Feb 13-to Judiciary (S)

Feb 22-taken from Judiciary (S); 1st reading; returned to Judiciary (S)

Feb 23-reported favorably, 2nd reading, to Rules w/SCS and SCA (1)

Mar 15-recommitted to Judiciary (S)

SB 29

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB29.htm>

Sens. Dennis Parrett (D) & Denise Harper Angel (D)

Permanently establish a kinship care program.

Jan 3-introduced in Senate

Jan 7-to Health & Welfare (S)

SB 61

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB61.htm>

Sen. Ernie Harris (R)

Require that the expiration date of a disabled parking placard is indicated by a hole-punch system.

[SCS1](#)-Retain original provisions; change requirements for a disabled placard to one placard issued that will be valid for six years EFFECTIVE January 1, 2018.

[SCA1](#) (E. Harris) - Remove requirements for a hole-punch system on disabled placards.

[SFA1](#) (E. Harris) - Remove original provisions; and make changes; EFFECTIVE July 1, 2017.

[SFA2](#) (E. Harris) - Remove original provisions; and make changes; EFFECTIVE July 1, 2017.

Similar bills (6RS HB 242 & SB 300) were filed in the 2016 regular session. HB 242 did not pass the House. SB 300 passed the Senate but not the House.

Jan 3-introduced in Senate

Jan 7-to Transportation (S)

Feb 8-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar w/ SCS(1), SCA(1)

Feb 9-2nd reading, to Rules

Feb 15- posted for passage; SFAs (1) and (2) filed

Feb 16-3rd reading; SCS (1) withdrawn; SCA withdrawn; SFA (1) withdrawn; passed 35-0 with SFA (2)

Feb 17-received in House

Feb 21-to Transportation (H)

Mar 7-taken from Transportation (H); 1st reading; returned to Transportation (H)

Mar 8-taken from Transportation (H); 2nd reading; returned to Transportation (H)

SB 65 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB65.htm>

Sen. Julian Carroll (D)

Make changes regarding mail-in absentee ballots.

Cf. HB 118, HB 258 & SB 137

Jan 3-introduced in Senate

Jan 7-to State & Local Govt. (S)

SB 69 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB69.htm>

Sen. Gerald Neal (D)

Amend the Kentucky Constitution regarding felons' ability to vote.

Similar bills (16RS HB 70, SB 213 & SB 299; 15RS HB 26, HB 70, SB 26, & SB 70; 14RS HB 70 & SB 15; 13RS HB 70; 12RS HB 70; 11RS HB 70; 09RS HB 70; & 08RS HB 70) were filed in previous legislative sessions.

All the House bills from 2008 -2015 passed the House but not the Senate. In 2016, HB 70 passed the House but not the Senate, and SB 299 passed the Senate but not the House.

Cf. HB 170

Jan 3-introduced in Senate

Jan 7-to State & Local Govt. (S)

SB 70 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB70.htm>

Sen. Gerald Neal (D)

Create Charter Schools.

Similar bills (16RS HB 589 & SB 253; 15 RS HB 174; 14 RS HB 85; 13RS SB 176; 12RS HB 77; 11RS HB 103 & SB 3; 10RS HB 21 & HB 583; & 08RS HB 578) were filed in previous legislative sessions. 11RS SB 3 passed the Senate but did not pass the House .

Cf. HB 103, HB 520

Jan 3-introduced in Senate
Jan 7-to Education (S)

SB 84 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB84.htm>
Sen. Reginald Thomas (D)

Create the position of school health coordinator.

Jan 3-introduced in Senate
Jan 7-to Education (S)

SB 86 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB86.htm>
Sen. Ralph Alvarado (R)

Allow professionals to make reports of suspected spousal abuse when the victim agrees to the report being made.

SCS1-Retain original provisions; amend or add various definitions.

Jan 4-introduced in Senate
Jan 7-to Judiciary (S)
Feb 17-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar w/ SCS (1)
Feb 21-2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 22-posted for passage
Feb 23 -3rd reading, passed 38-0 with SCS; received in House
Feb 27-to Judiciary (H)
Mar 6-posted in committee

SB 91 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB91.htm>
Sens. Julie Raque Adams (R), Ralph Alvarado (R), Alice Forgy Kerr (R),
C. B. Embry, Jr. (R), Denise Harper Angel (D), Stan Humphries (R) &
Morgan McGarvey (D)

Create court-ordered Assisted Outpatient Treatment.

SCS1-Retain original provisions except to delete the first section amending KRS 202A.081.

Cf. HB 79

Jan 4-introduced in Senate
Jan 7-to Appropriations & Revenue (S)
Feb 16-reassigned to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 22-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar with SCS (1)
Feb 23-2nd reading, to Rules
Feb 24-posted for passage in the Consent Orders
Feb 27-3rd reading, passed 34-3 with SCS(1)
Feb 28-received in House

Mar 1-to Judiciary (H)
Mar 6- posted in committee
Mar 7-taken from Judiciary (H); 1st reading; returned to Judiciary (H)
Mar 8-reported favorably, 2nd reading, to Rules (H)
Mar 14-posted for passage in the Regular Orders; 3rd reading, passed 95-0
Mar 15-received in Senate; enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; delivered to Governor

SB 95

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB95.htm>

Sen. Ralph Alvarado (R)

Eliminate various councils and advisory panels, and various required reports.

SCS1-Retain original provisions; establish the Sexual Assault Response Team Advisor Committee; make reports on the status of the application for a waiver or waiver amendment, request for a plan amendment, the Kentucky Independence Plus Through Consumer-Directed Services Program, and the waiver for individuals with developmental disorders available upon request.

Jan 7-introduced in Senate; to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 15-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar w/ SCS (1)
Feb 16-2nd reading, to Rules (S)
Feb 17-posted for passage
Feb 22-3rd reading, passed 37-0 with SCS (1); received in House
Feb 27-to Health and Family Services (H)
Mar 7-taken from Health & Family Services (H); 1st reading; returned to Health & Family Services (H)

SB 108

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB108.htm>

Sens. Julie Raque Adams (R), Ralph Alvarado (R) & Denise Harper Angel (D)

Establish the Palliative Care Interdisciplinary Advisory Council.

SCS1-Add two members to the Palliative Care Interdisciplinary Advisory Council.

Jan 7-introduced in Senate; to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 22-reported favorably, 1st reading to Consent Calendar with SCS(1)
Feb 23- 2nd reading, to Rules (S)
Feb 27-posted for passage in the Consent Orders
Feb 28-3rd reading, passed 37-0 with SCS; received in House
Mar 1-to Health and Family Services (H)
Mar 7-taken from Health & Family Services (H); 1st reading; returned to Health & Family Services (H)

- SB 115 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB115.htm>
Sen. Whitney Westerfield (R)
- Amend statutes regarding crime victims. Part of Marsy's Law.
- Cf. HB 169, HB 171, SB15
- Jan 7-introduced in Senate; to Judiciary (S)
- SB 137 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB137.htm>
Sen. Julian Carroll (D)
- Make changes regarding mail-in absentee ballots.
- Cf. HB 118, HB 258, SB 65
- Feb 8-introduced in Senate
Feb 9-to State & Local Govt. (S)
- SB 141 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB141.htm>
Sen. Julie Raque Adams (R)
- Amend various statutes regarding human trafficking.
- Cf. HB 331, HB 406, HB 524
- Feb 8- introduced in Senate
Feb 9-to Transportation (S)
- SB 150 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB150.htm>
Sens. Danny Carroll (R) & Ralph Alvarado (R)
- Limit the use of LTC survey findings in advertising.
- HCS1 - Retain original provisions; establish language to clarify that results of surveys, inspections, or investigations allowed by KRS 216.555, may be use in civil or criminal investigations or prosecutions.
- Feb 9-introduced in Senate
Feb 10-to Health & Welfare (S)
Feb 15-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar
Feb 16-2nd reading, to Rules (S)
Feb 17-posted for passage
Feb 22-3rd reading, passed 25-12; received in House
Feb 27-to Health and Family Services (H)
Mar 7-taken from Health & Family Services (H); 1st reading; returned to
Health & Family Services (H)

Mar 8- taken from Health & Family Services (H); 2nd reading; returned to Health & Family Services (H); posted in committee
Mar 14-reported favorably, to Rules w/HCS; posted for passage in the Regular Orders; 3rd reading, passed 95-0 w/HCS
Mar 15-received in Senate; to Rules (S); posted for passage for concurrence in HCS; Senate concurred in HCS; Bill passed 32-6; enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; delivered to Governor

SB 181 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB181.htm>
Sen. Ray Jones II (D) & Tom Buford (R)

Require a parent, guardian, or other person who the Cabinet for Health and Family Services has found to have abused or neglected a child to send the child his or her custody to a regular public day school.

Feb 14-introduced in Senate
Feb 15-to Judiciary (S)

SB 189 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB189.htm>
Sens. Tom Buford (R), Rick Girdler (R), Gerald Neal (D), Brandon Smith (R) & Johnny Turner (D)

Provide that information may be included in the Kentucky vehicle registration system indicating that the operator of the vehicle may be deaf or hard of hearing; and create the deaf or hard of hearing protection trust fund.

SCA1 (E. Harris)-Make title amendment.

Feb 14-introduced in Senate
Feb 15-to Transportation (S)
Feb 27-taken from Transportation (S); 1st reading; returned to Transportation (S)
Feb 28-taken from Transportation (S); 2nd reading; returned to Transportation (S)
Mar 1-reported favorably, to Rules with SCA (1-title) as a consent bill
Mar 2- posted for passage in the Consent Orders; 3rd reading, passed 38-0 w/ SCA (1-title)
Mar 3-received in House
Mar 6- to Transportation (H); posted in committee
Mar 7-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Consent Calendar
Mar 8-2nd reading, to Rules; posted for passage in the Consent Orders
Mar 14-3rd reading, passed 97-0; received in Senate; enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; delivered to Governor
Mar 21-signed by Governor

SB 190

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB190.htm>

Sen. Dan Seum (R)

Establish educational stability requirements for when a child is placed in an out-of-home placement.

Feb 14-introduced in Senate

Feb 15-to Education (S)

Feb 23- reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar

Feb 24-2nd reading, to Rules

Feb 27- posted for passage in the Regular Orders

Mar 1-3rd reading, passed 36-0

Mar 2-received in House

Mar 3-to Education (H)

Mar 7-taken from Education; 1st reading; returned to Education (H)

Mar 8- taken from Education; 2nd reading; returned to Education (H)

SB 195

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB195.htm>

Sen. Whitney Westerfield (R)

Expand the expungement and sealing of juvenile records and create an automatic process.

[SCS1/LM](#) - Retain original provisions; require that child not have any convictions or adjudications for felony or public offenses and no pending felony or public offense cases in order to receive automatic expungement.

[SFA1](#)(W. Westerfield) - Make expungement of felony or public offense convictions discretionary.

[HCS1/LM](#) - Retain original provisions; limit expungement of felonies, allow discretionary expungement unless the county attorney establishes that a child is ineligible.

Feb 15-introduced in Senate

Feb 16-Judiciary (S)

Feb 22-taken from Judiciary (S); 1st reading; returned to Judiciary (S)

Feb 23-reported favorably, 2nd reading, to Rules w/SCS (1)

Feb 24-SFA (1) filed to SCS

Feb 27 - posted for passage in the Regular Orders

Feb 28-passed over and retained in the Orders

Mar 1-passed over and retained in the Orders

Mar 2- 3rd reading, passed 37-0 with SCS and SFA (1)

Mar 3-received in House

Mar 6 - to Judiciary (H)

Mar 7- taken from Judiciary (H); 1st reading; returned to Judiciary (H);
posted

Mar 8-reported favorably, 2nd reading, to Rules with HCS

Mar 14- posted for passage in the Regular Orders

Mar 14-3rd reading, passed 90-3 w/HCS

Mar 15-received in Senate; to Rules (S); posted for passage for concurrence in HCS; Senate concurred in HCS; Bill passed 38-0; enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; delivered to Governor

SB 202 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB202.htm>
Sen. Reginald Thomas (D)

Require the department of education to establish protocols and guidelines for health procedures performed by licensed health professionals and unlicensed school personnel and training for school personnel related to data collection of school health services.

Feb 15-introduced in Senate
Feb 16-to Education (S)

SB 217 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB217.htm>
Sen. Stephen West (R)

Specify that a board of education must comply with the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, and any other applicable federal law in placing a teacher or superintendent on leave due to a physical or mental disability; prohibit a board from requesting unnecessary medical information or disclosing any medical information

[SCS1](#) - Retain original provisions except make hearing officer trainings designed and conducted by the Kentucky Department of Education alone.

Feb 15- Introduced in Senate
Feb 16- to Education (S)
Mar 2- reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar w/ SCS 1
Mar 3-2nd reading, to Rules
Mar 15-recommitted to Education (S)

SB 220 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB220.htm>
Sen. Whitney Westerfield (R)

Create a minimum age of criminal responsibility of 12 years of age

Cf. HB 92

Feb 16 - introduced in Senate
Feb 21-to Judiciary (S)

SB 236 <http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB236.htm>
Sen. Julie Raque Adams (R)

Permit a parent or legal guardian to request a background check of the child abuse and neglect registry records; prohibit youth camps from employing, contracting, or utilizing as a volunteer a person who committed a sex crime, is a violent offender, or has abused or neglected a child, and require criminal background checks; and require superintendents to run a name-based background check of child abuse and neglect records for employees.

[SCS1/LM](#) - Retain original provisions and make technical changes.

Cf. HB 402

Feb 16-introduced in Senate

Feb 21-to Health & Welfare (S)

Feb 27-taken from Health & Welfare (S); 1st reading; returned to Health & Welfare (S)

Feb 28-taken from Health & Welfare (S); 2nd reading; returned to Health & Welfare (S)

Mar 1-reported favorably, to Rules w/ SCS

Mar 2-posted for passage in the Regular Orders; 3rd reading, passed 37-0 w/ SCS

Mar 3-received in House

Mar 6 - to Health and Family Services (H)

Mar 7-taken from Health & Family Services (H); 1st reading; returned to Health & Family Services (H)

Mar 8-taken from Health & Family Services (H); 2nd reading; returned to Health & Family Services (H); posted in committee

Mar 14-reported favorably, to Rules as a Consent Bill; posted for passage in the Consent Orders

Mar 15-3rd reading, passed 97-0; received in Senate; enrolled, signed by President of the Senate; enrolled, signed by Speaker of the House; delivered to Governor

SB 250

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB250.htm>

Sen. Ray Jones II (D), Denise Harper Angel (D), Alice Forgy Kerr (R), Dennis Parrett (D), & Reginald Thomas (D)

Permit the establishment of age-appropriate education programs pertaining to the recognition of child physical, sexual, and emotional abuse and neglect and how to report suspected abuse. Known as "Erin's Law,"

[SFA1](#) (R. Jones II)-Require the Kentucky Board of Education to establish age-appropriate education programs on abuse.

Feb 16- introduced in Senate

Feb 21-to Education (S)

Mar 2-reported favorably, 1st reading, to Calendar; SFA(1) filed

Mar 3-2nd reading, to Rules

Mar 15-recommitted to Education (S)

SB 251

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SB251.htm>

Sen. Morgan McGarvey (D)

Automatically restore civil rights to convicted felons after they have served their sentence, completed parole or probation and paid restitution; and make changes to polling places.

Feb 16- introduced in Senate

Feb 21-to State & Local Government (S)

SR 38

<http://www.lrc.ky.gov/record/17RS/SR38.htm>

Sen. C. B. Embry, Jr. (R)

Urge first responders to receive training on autism spectrum disorders.

Feb 7-introduced in Senate

Feb 9-to Health & Welfare (S)

Feb 10-taken from Health & Welfare (S); to Senate Floor

Feb 13- adopted by voice vote