

2016 General Assembly
Master Bill Tracking Chart

Through February 26

This table shows selected new bills filed in the 2016 General Assembly during the week ending February 26. The list is organized by topics, as follows:

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Topic	Bill #	Sponsor	Summary
Access	HB 46	King	Establish legislative intent that rights of an individual under Constitutions of Kentucky and U.S. take precedence over application of any foreign law
Access	HB 68	Hale	Provide civil immunity for person who enters a vehicle with good faith belief that a minor or vulnerable adult is in imminent danger of harm
Access	HB 80	Harris	Narrow scope of exemptions from the definition of "public agency" in Open Records Act so that water, fire protection and other entities are not exempt
Access	HB 223	Kay	Authorize a lawyer or non-lawyer assistant to possess a cell phone or other personal electronic device within a local detention facility
Access	HB 344	Denham	Establish confidential, mandatory medical malpractice mediation system to be completed prior to malpractice litigation
Access	HB 363	Yonts	Require all Commonwealth's attorneys to be full-time; require part-time Commonwealth's attorneys to be full-time after expiration of their current term
Access	HB 494	Tipton	Add constables to the class of officers to whom process may be directed; provide incentive payments

			for constables who complete training; more
Access	SB 6	Alvarado	Medical Review Panels: establish system for use in civil litigation relating to health care providers
Access	SB 8	Schickel	Constitutional amendment: require KY Supreme Court to propose to adjust court districts based on caseload and population; details
Access	SB 16	D. Carroll	Provide civil immunity for damaging vehicle to person who acts with reasonable belief that a minor or vulnerable adult is in imminent danger if not removed
Access	SB 31	Alvarado	Prohibit introduction of expressions of sympathy, compassion, commiseration, or general sense of benevolence in medical malpractice actions
Access	SB 36	Schickel	Require Supreme Court to propose adjustments to judicial assignments, circuits and districts in the same years as legislative redistricting; details
Access	SB 47	Neal	Add holders of adult personal identification cards issued within a county to the master list of potential jurors for that county
Access	SB 66	Alvarado	Make confidential and privileged professional review information for purposes of actions for medical malpractice or arising out of review of credentials
Access	SB 121	Westerfield	Establish standards and rules for contingency fee personal service contracts for legal services; require Attorney General to make written findings of need
Access	SB 202	Schroder	Franklin Circuit Court: modify standards for venue and jurisdiction; give concurrent jurisdiction to other Circuit Courts
Access	SB 214	Higdon	Notary public: remove fee limitations for certain acts
Access	SR 88	Girdler	Request that the Attorney General respond within 30 days to a legislator's request for an opinion
Budget	HB 52	Denham	Limit reduction in local government economic assistance funds for mineral producing counties to no more than 50% after refunds of severance tax; details
Budget	HB 303	Rand	The Executive Branch Budget
Budget	HB 304	Rand	The Road Fund and Transportation Budget
Budget	HB 305	Rand	2016-2018 Biennial Highway Construction Plan

Budget	HB 306	Rand	The Judicial Branch Budget
Budget	HB 499	Rand	The Legislative Budget
Budget	HJR 44	DeCesare	Call for convention of the states to propose amendments to U. S. Constitution to impose fiscal restraints and limit jurisdiction of federal government
Budget	HCR 50	DeCesare	Urge Congress to call Article V convention for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution requiring a balanced federal budget
Budget	HCR 109	Wuchner	Establish Priorities of Government Spending and Budget Reform Task Force
Budget	SB 72	McDaniel	Clarify the process for interim appropriation increases relating to restricted funds and federal funds
Budget	SB 144	McGarvey	Constitutional amendment: authorize legislature to permit casino gaming; earmark 90% of proceeds to retirement systems, 10% to support horse industry
Civil Rights	HB 14	Wuchner	Exempt persons, officials, and institutions with religious objections to same-sex marriages from any requirement to solemnize them
Civil Rights	HB 17	Lee	Exempt persons, officials, and institutions with religious objections to same-sex marriages from any requirement to solemnize or issue licenses for them
Civil Rights	HB 28	Dossett	Exempt persons, officials, and institutions with religious objections to any marriage from any requirement to solemnize them
Civil Rights	HB 31	Hale	Move marriage licensing and recording duties from county clerks to state registrar of vital statistics; more re exemption from solemnizing same-sex marriage
Civil Rights	HB 35	St. Onge	Nullify all federal laws restricting ownership or possession of firearms; make exception for undocumented persons; more
Civil Rights	HB 70	Owens	Constitutional amendment: restructure the voting restrictions relating to felons and persons with mental disabilities
Civil Rights	HB 145	Meeks	Limit a public postsecondary institution's ability to restrict student speech on campus
Civil Rights	HB 146	Meeks	Require Historic Properties Advisory Commission to provide appropriate public education regarding items related to the Confederate States of America; more
Civil Rights	HB 155	Marzian	Prohibit discrimination based on sexual orientation

			and gender identity in labor and employment practices, places of public accommodation; more
Civil Rights	HB 156	Marzian	Constitutional amendment: repeal Section 233A of the Constitution of Kentucky relating to marriage; submit to voters
Civil Rights	HB 182	Wuchner	Require General Assembly to enact laws to prevent the enforcement of federal acts that violate the Second Amendment
Civil Rights	HB 211	Meredith	Create two equally valid marriage license forms, available to all applicants at their discretion, which list the parties as husband and wife or as spouses
Civil Rights	HB 236	St. Onge	Declare that federal laws requiring state or local law enforcement to enforce federal restrictions of firearms are invalid in KY
Civil Rights	HB 258	Denham	Marriage license: give option of using either of two versions of form, identifying applicants as "bride and groom" or as "first and second parties"
Civil rights	HCR 7	Meeks	Direct the staff of the Legislative Research Commission to study the racial demographics of Kentucky's criminal juries
Civil Rights	HJR 134	Nelson	Commend the Southeastern KY Shawnee for efforts to help their elderly and youth; recognize work to preserve their native language and heritage; details
Civil Rights	HR 6	Wayne	Support the United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women
Civil Rights	HR 15	Owens	Celebrate the 51st anniversary of the civil rights movement and commemorative March on Frankfort
Civil Rights	HR 64	Owens	Commemorate the 50th anniversary of the Kentucky Civil Rights Act and its enforcement by the Kentucky Commission on Human Rights
Civil Rights	HR 67	King	Commemorate the 50th anniversary of the Kentucky Civil Rights Act and its enforcement by the Kentucky Commission on Human Rights
Civil Rights	HR 113	Riner	Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Senator Georgia Powers and Judge Benjamin Shobe, two titans of civil rights
Civil Rights	SB 5	West	Marriage license: remove requirement that license be signed by issuing county or deputy clerk; provide that the form allow for name and title of issuing official
Civil Rights	SB 176	McGarvey	Prohibit discrimination based on sexual orientation and gender identity in labor and employment practices, places of public accommodation; more
Civil Rights	SB 180	Robinson	Prohibit public agency from infringing on or restricting exercise of protected rights by protected

			activity provider, including right of conscience
Civil Rights	SB 213	Neal	Constitutional amendment: allow persons convicted of a felony, other than felonies designated by the General Assembly, the right to vote
Civil Rights	SR 65	Neal	Commemorate the 50th anniversary of the Kentucky Civil Rights Act and its enforcement by the Kentucky Commission on Human Rights
Civil Rights	SR 100	Neal	Adjourn in honor and loving memory of Georgia Montgomery Davis Powers and place a bronze plaque on her desk in the Senate
Consumer	HB 10	Richards	Require proper labeling on donation boxes and donation drop-off sites when donations do not qualify as charitable contributions for federal tax purposes
Consumer	HB 65	Montell	Require consumer reporting agency to place security freeze on record of incapacitated or underage person on request by representative; create cause of action
Consumer	HB 88	Clark	Require place of final disposition to be recorded of death certificate, require each registrant to report location of each grave space in cemetery; more
Consumer	HB 119	Overly	Require credit reporting agency to place security freeze on record of incapacitated or underage person on request by representative; create cause of action
Consumer	HB 132	G. Watkins	Prohibit using a booking photograph for a commercial purpose if posted in a publication or on a Web site and removal requires the payment of a fee
Consumer	HB 144	Meeks	Create KY Historic Cemetery Preservation Program and Board; set penalties for failure to protect, recognize, or maintain burying grounds; more
Consumer	HB 165	Collins	Increase threshold from \$1,000 to \$2,500 for sellers' and dealers' obligation to disclose accident damage to a motor vehicle
Consumer	HB 185	Yonts	Provide process for insurance companies to obtain salvage titles; allow for the disposal of voluntarily towed abandoned vehicles
Consumer	HB 190	Crimm	Consumer Protection Act: add a bad-faith assertion of patent infringement as a violation; remedies; damages of \$50,000 or 3 times costs and fees
Consumer	HB 244	Richards	Allow governing authority of any city to require owner of property to provide for the maintenance of burial grounds
Consumer	HB 252	Meredith	Allow insurance agent to be paid for arranging insurance premium financing if agent discloses source and amount of payment in writing; more
Consumer	HB 256	Meeks	Allow free expungement through AOC when victim of identity theft has been erroneously charged with a criminal offense; allow recovery of insurance costs

Consumer	HB 285	Stewart	Self-storage: replace lien process; consider property abandoned and allow sale after 45 day notice; allow occupant to cure by paying claims within 45 days
Consumer	HB 298	Collins	Increase annual license fee for motor vehicle dealers and manufacturers from \$100 to \$200 for each location, branch or agent
Consumer	HB 335	Greer	Title insurance: require licensing of agents; require good-faith estimate of premium; allow insurance agents to receive qualification for title insurance
Consumer	HB 352	Greer	Allow perfection of security interest in motor vehicle previously titled in name of the debtor if certificate of title is filed within 30 days instead of 20; more
Consumer	HB 371	Greer	Amend Unclaimed Life Insurance Benefits Act to apply only to policies, annuity contracts, and retained asset accounts issued after January 2013
Consumer	HB 382	Rowland	Allow car seller to have car buyer sign notarized statement that necessary legal documents have been received; make transfer of title effective immediately
Consumer	HB 391	Kerr	Authorize Department of Public Advocacy to collect outstanding debts by requesting Revenue Cabinet to withhold individual tax returns
Consumer	HB 408	Harris	Clarify that Unclaimed Life Insurance Benefits Act applies to all insurance and annuities issued before, on or after Act's effective date; details
Consumer	HB 462	Miles	Establish additional initial and renewal registration fee of \$100 for plug-in electric vehicles
Consumer	HB 478	St. Onge	Clarify that rough trade-in value or clean trade-in value shall not be used to determine standard value of motor vehicle for property tax purposes
Consumer	HB 520	Bell	Son of Payday Loans (Flex Loans): Allow loans up to \$4K at 24% APR plus uncapped fees; require payments of 5% of principal; allow multiple loans
Consumer	HCR 13	Montell	Direct LRC to study municipal bankruptcy
Consumer	HR 62	Carney	Urge United States Postal Service to require identification when someone completes a change of address form
Consumer	SB 23	Alvarado	Require credit reporting agency to place security freeze on record of person under 16 or incapacitated on request by representative; create cause of action
Consumer	SB 32	Parrett	Create Kentucky Financial Literacy Program; require high school students to complete instruction in financial literacy prior to graduation
Consumer	SB 54	Buford	Require proper labeling on donation boxes and

			donation drop-off sites when donations do not qualify as charitable contributions for federal tax purposes
Consumer	SB 58	Harris	Automobile service contract insurance: define terms; require provider to have reimbursement insurance policy; more
Consumer	SB 74	Robinson	Allow motor vehicle security interest termination statements to be submitted by fax; hold county clerks harmless for fraudulent statements
Consumer	SB 83	Buford	Insurance fraud: extend civil immunity for reporting to National Insurance Crime Bureau or authorized insurer, agent, or representative of an insurer; more
Consumer	SB 91	Buford	Motor vehicle tort statute of limitations: exclude reissuance of payment from determination of date of last basic or added reparation payment
Consumer	SB 101	Kerr	Payday loans: limit APR to 36%; apply UDAP remedies under Consumer Protection Act; allow cause of action for 2x interest paid if limit exceeded
Consumer	SB 103	Hornback	Funerals: establish uses and requirements for a declaration of preferences for disposition of remains after death; not binding if funeral home unpaid
Consumer	SB 118	Carpenter	Exempt service providers working on behalf of banks or sellers of goods or services from regulation as money transmitters
Consumer	SB 120	Buford	Delete standards of conduct for bank officers; apply standards for officers of private corporations (liability only for willful, wanton or reckless misconduct)
Consumer	SB 122	Buford	Require grantee of deed from commissioner to file deed within 5 days; extend time lien is effective; reduce time continuation statement extends lien
Consumer	SB 124	Buford	Prohibit defendant or defendant's agent from bidding on property sold pursuant to court order for less than amount due at time of sale, plus fees and expenses
Consumer	SB 149	Westerfield	Uniform Commercial Real Estate Receivership Act: allow appointment during foreclosure or redemption period; limit ability to reject leases; apply to 1-4 units
Consumer	SB 163	Buford	Permit car recycling dealer or metal recycler to purchase motor vehicle 10 years or older without a title if vehicle was not stolen and has no liens
Consumer	SB 167	Wilson	Allow cities to transfer property to eliminate blight, limit advertising for transfers and tax due dates, and require owners to maintain cemeteries
Consumer	SB 168	West	Allow Auditor to conduct special audit of a city or its agencies (city to pay expenses); allow transfer of required city audits to Auditor and LRC by request
Consumer	SB 186	Wise	Allow marina to enforce possessory lien on a boat; establish notification and sale requirements

Consumer	SB 208	West	Reduce the interest rate on a judgment from 12 percent to 6 percent
Corrections	HB 40	Owens	Expungement: expand scope of motion to include felonies referred to a grand jury where no indictment ensues; allow for certain Class D felonies; more
Corrections	HB 44	King	Prohibit sex offender registrants from being present on grounds of a publicly owned playground without advance written permission
Corrections	HB 51	Bell	Expand, to extent feasible, the Department of Corrections' Farm Operations Program to all adult correctional facilities; details
Corrections	HB 133	G. Watkins	Increase sentence to life without possibility of parole for offenders with 3 or more convictions for Class A or B felonies or capital offenses
Corrections	HB 134	G. Watkins	Require sentences for multiple Class A, B, or C felonies to run consecutively
Corrections	HB 154	Miller	Require defendants convicted of possession of controlled substance to complete drug treatment program; lower possession to Class A misdemeanor
Corrections	HB 173	Fischer	Move Class B felony offenders from mandatory reentry supervision program into post-incarceration supervision program
Corrections	HB 203	Floyd	Abolish the death penalty and replace it with life imprisonment without parole for inmates presently sentenced to death; details
Corrections	HB 205	Floyd	Expungement: expand scope of motion to include felonies referred to a grand jury where no indictment ensues; allow for Class D felonies; more
Corrections	HB 400	Wayne	Establish External Detainee Fatality Review Panel to review deaths of individuals detained in county or regional jails, DOC, DJJ or contract settings
Corrections	HB 403	Donohue	Authorize use of day reporting programs in criminal sentencing
Corrections	HB 418	Kerr	Provide that the \$100 filing fee for an expungement petition for misdemeanors, violations, or traffic infractions is nonrefundable
Corrections	HB 436	Lee	Require DOC to hold a public hearing before creating probation and parole office in area of urban county government; limit to industrial zones
Corrections	HB 508	Benvenuti	Add murder of a victim 12 years or younger or an adult as defined in KRS 209.020 as an aggravating circumstance for the death penalty

Corrections	HB 511	Riner	Impose a 5 year moratorium on executions; require Criminal Justice Council to make recommendations based on ABA KY Death Penalty report
Corrections	SB 30	J. Carroll	Establish the county jail restricted fund; increase motor vehicle and misdemeanor fines and earmark percentage of proceeds to fund
Corrections	SB 39	Adams	Prohibit shock probation if a person is convicted of specified offenses including manslaughter and DUI
Corrections	SB 41	Neal	Abolish the death penalty and replace it with life imprisonment without parole for inmates presently sentenced to death; details
Corrections	SB 59	Kerr	Require the Department of Corrections to hold a public hearing before relocating or creating a probation and parole office
Corrections	SB 69	Alvarado	Allow an appellate court opinion to be redacted to remove the name of a person for whom an expungement has been ordered
Corrections	SB 77	Neal	Re-entry: allow a felony record to be expunged under specified circumstances; consider passage of time since offense in licensure decisions; more
Corrections	SB 187	Schroder	Categorize any person convicted of attempted murder as a "violent offender" for probation and parole eligibility purposes
Corrections	SB 201	Westerfield	Allow child who commits a Class D felony to be retained on probation for 18 months if in court-ordered substance abuse or mental health program
Corrections	SJR 119	J. Carroll	Direct Department of Corrections to allow sale and usage of electronic cigarettes in adult correctional institutions
Criminal	HB 11	St. Onge	Remove from elements of offense of assault on a service animal the requirement that service animal be unable to return to work
Criminal	HB 13	Flood	DUI: expand the look-back window for prior offenses from 5 years to 10 years; expand window for quarterly reporting of pending DUI cases
Criminal	HB 22	St. Onge	Prohibit law enforcement agency from using a drone to gather evidence or other information; exceptions; prohibit use of evidence obtained in violation
Criminal	HB 25	Jenkins	Include assault on operator or passenger of a taxi, bus, or other passenger vehicle for hire within offense of assault in 3 rd degree; more
Criminal	HB 66	Shell	Include synthetic drugs in offenses of trafficking in and possession of controlled substance in the first degree; more
Criminal	HB 67	St. Onge	Define the new offense of drone harassment

Criminal	HB 109	Jenkins	Create mechanism for charging a person with commission of offense against vulnerable victim in a continuous course of conduct
Criminal	HB 110	Jenkins	Prohibit the distribution of sexually explicit images without consent; penalties
Criminal	HB 117	DuPlessis	DUI: require that subsequent offenses during any five year lookback period be construed as a conviction of a second offense
Criminal	HB 120	Belcher	Prohibit the use of a drone for purposes of harassment, to commit acts of voyeurism, or to facilitate burglary; details
Criminal	HB 137	G. Watkins	Make attempt to commit murder of peace officer or firefighter an offense for which at least 85 percent of sentence must be served before probation or parole
Criminal	HB 141	Denham	Create the new crimes of strangulation in the first degree as a Class C felony, and strangulation in the second degree as a Class D felony
Criminal	HB 162	Koenig	Include electronic communications within the definition of harassing communications
Criminal	HB 191	Meeks	Provide for collection of DNA samples at arrest or initial appearance from all persons charged with a felony offense; details
Criminal	HB 210	Stone	Include assaults on local health department personnel in offense of assault in 3 rd degree
Criminal	HB 229	Overly	Grant the Attorney General concurrent jurisdiction in human trafficking investigations and prosecutions
Criminal	HB 250	Palumbo	Remove requirement for officer to issue citation in lieu of arrest for most misdemeanors committed in presence; address use of false license or ID
Criminal	HB 368	Horlander	Provide Commonwealth a right to trial by jury in prosecutions for operating vehicles while under the influence
Criminal	HB 387	Bell	Provide uniform procedures for witness identification; regulate conduct of lineups; allow suppression of evidence if guidelines violated; more
Criminal	HB 392	Kerr	Allow courts to obtain tax records of individuals requesting a public defender; allow Revenue to withhold income tax returns for debts owed to DPA
Criminal	HB 412	Yonts	Establish gross misdemeanor as new category of offense and set penalty range; make persistent felony

			offender sentencing discretionary; more
Criminal	HB 428	Stone	Make any person who uses or transfers a dog to fight for pleasure or profit cruelty to animals in the first degree; Class D felony
Criminal	HB 445	Coursey	Prohibit use of drone to collect information about critical infrastructure without prior written consent; Class A or Class B misdemeanor
Criminal	HB 451	Benvenuti	Prohibit shock probation for either manslaughter in the 2nd degree or reckless homicide if related to DUI arising from the same incident
Criminal	HB 459	Riner	Raise felony theft threshold from \$500 to \$2,000; establish sentencing scheme for misdemeanor theft which incentivizes restitution
Criminal	HB 479	St. Onge	Make assault in 4 th degree a Class D felony if relationship between parties meets the definition of family members or members of an unmarried couple
Criminal	HB 484	Denham	Create crime of strangulation as Class A misdemeanor unless aggravating circumstances are present, in which case it is a Class D felony
Criminal	HB 486	King	DUI: restructure existing penalties from 4-tiered to 3-tiered structure; expand look-back window for prior offenses from 5 to 10 years: more
Criminal	HB 504	Benvenuti	DUI: expand look-back from 5 to 10 years for offenses without aggravating circumstances; keep DUI with aggravating circumstance in look back
Criminal	SB 37	Bowen	Prohibit person under 18 from transmitting a nude image of himself, herself, or another person under 18 by computer or electronic means; details
Criminal	SB 51	Thomas	Require a reasonable belief that defensive force is necessary before it is justified; more
Criminal	SB 55	Thomas	Add deaths during arrest to cases which are investigated by coroner; require an annual public report; details
Criminal	SB 56	Parrett	DUI: expand look-back window for prior offenses from 5 years to 10 years
Criminal	SB 60	Westerfield	Create a mechanism for charging person with commission of an offense against vulnerable victim in a continuous course of conduct
Criminal	SB 63	Harper Angel	Require law enforcement agencies to have approved policies on disposition of sexual assault evidence collection kits; set processing timelines
Criminal	SB 112	Webb	Prevent county and local governments from regulating knives; remove knives from definition of deadly weapon; more

Criminal	SB 115	Schickel	Require that persons who traffic in heroin or fentanyl be charged as Class C felons for the first offense
Criminal	SB 136	Westerfield	Increase penalties for possession of, and trafficking in, synthetic drugs; classify all hydrocodone products as Schedule II controlled substances
Criminal	SB 143	McGarvey	Grant the Attorney General concurrent jurisdiction in human trafficking investigations and prosecutions
Criminal	SB 150	Adams	Provide for collection of DNA samples at arrest or initial appearance from all persons charged with a felony offense; details
Criminal	SB 175	Westerfield	Constitutional Amendment: create a crime victims' bill of rights
Criminal	SB 207	Schroder	Add elements to offense of assault on a service animal in 1 st degree; classify person convicted of attempted murder as a "violent offender"; more
Criminal	SB 220	Neal	Create offense of allowing juvenile access to readily dischargeable unsecured firearm (Class B misdemeanor; Class A if discharge causes death)
Criminal	SB 234	Parrett	Provide Commonwealth a right to trial by jury in prosecutions for operating vehicles while under the influence
Econ Dev	HB 50	Flood	Provide for public benefit corporations as for-profit corporations intended to produce a public benefit identified in articles of incorporation; details
Econ Dev	HB 57	Keene	Tax increment financing: expand definition of "mixed-use" project and delete the upper investment limit on a mixed-use development project
Econ Dev	HB 125	Rowland	Allow all counties covered by the Appalachian Regional Commission to receive enhanced film industry incentives
Econ Dev	HB 189	McKee	Allow interlocal agreements (i.e., land banks) to modify membership of parties without approval of AG or Department for Local Government
Econ Dev	HB 202	Adkins	Allow coal mining or processing companies to qualify for specified sales and use tax incentives; more
Econ Dev	HB 224	Short	Digital interactive media production tax credit: provide thresholds for production to qualify; detail the amount a production may receive
Econ Dev	HB 237	DeCesare	Allow local governments to consider certain data centers as manufacturing establishments that qualify for temporary exemption from local property taxes
Econ Dev	HB 274	Denham	Allow additional sales and use tax incentives to be

			awarded to companies undertaking development projects in enhanced incentive counties; details
Econ Dev	HB 309	Combs	P3s: create framework for use of public-private partnerships for procurement, construction, and financing by state and local government
Econ Dev	HB 416	Horlander	Local option elections: allow expansion of alcohol sales in cities or counties where economic hardships exist; more
Econ Dev	HB 447	Westrom	New Markets Development Program Tax Credit: allow credits against liabilities for state bank franchise tax; require reports; more
Econ Dev	HB 472	Stewart	Establish KY Mountain Trail Authority (KMTA) as an independent, de jure municipal corporation attached to the Tourism, Arts and Heritage Cabinet
Econ Dev	HCR 117	DeCesare	Establish an "Automotive Caucus" within the Kentucky General Assembly
Econ Dev	HR 43	King	Add the Technology and Innovation Committee to the list of standing committees of the House
Econ Dev	HR 169	Kay	Urge KY Congressional delegation to create a program of crop insurance for farmers growing fruits and vegetables
Econ Dev	SB 132	Wise	P3s: create framework for use of public-private partnerships for procurement, construction, and financing by state and local government
Econ Dev	SJR 118	Jones	Form task force to study ATV usage as catalyst for economic development and develop a comprehensive plan for a trail system for off-road ATVs
Education	HB 15	Graham	Direct Council on Post 2ndary Ed to create orientation program for new governing board members of council, public universities, and KCTCS
Education	HB 21	Bratcher	Require posting of preambles of U.S. and Kentucky Constitutions in all public school classrooms; allow teacher to choose placement within the classroom
Education	HB 29	Flood	Require that a school equity council member be appointed to superintendent screening committee, if an equity council exists
Education	HB 33	Imes	Require Senate confirmation of the Commissioner of Education
Education	HB 39	Stone	Provide tuition waiver to students at public post-2ndary school if their biological parents are deceased or have had their parental rights terminated; details
Education	HB 60	Imes	Constitutional amendment: allow for statewide election of the Commissioner of Education, to be held

			during regular elections
Education	HB 72	Montell	Allow a tax deduction for contributions to a qualified tuition program for higher education
Education	HB 82	Belcher	Prohibit the number of pupils enrolled in a class on the fifteenth student instructional day from exceeding the established maximum class size
Education	HB 87	Bratcher	Allow high school student in basic training required by branch of U.S. Armed Forces to be considered present for all purposes for up to ten days
Education	HB 92	Clark	Allow a waiver or modification of the statewide assessment system for schools participating in a district of innovation plan under specific conditions
Education	HB 101	Lee	Limit school official's civil liability for act or omission in the supervision, care, or discipline, of students if under specific enumerated circumstances
Education	HB 107	Smart	Require that teachers get a minimum of 60 minutes per day for nonteaching activities including 120 minutes per week for self-directed activities
Education	HB 111	Belcher	Require every public school to post the Kentucky child abuse hotline number
Education	HB 122	Belcher	Require the KY BOE to identify as career-ready any student who obtains a score of 36 or more on Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery
Education	HB 138	Owens	Require that assessments under state assessment program not collectively consume more than 5% of any student's instructional time
Education	HB 158	Palumbo	Increase the amount of KY educational excellence scholarships available to students enrolled in a comprehensive transition and post 2ndary program
Education	HB 171	Carney	Require local school districts to pay for textbooks used by students attending Gatton Academy or Craft Academy for Excellence in Science and Math
Education	HB 184	Donohue	Provide an alternative principal selection process for county school districts in county with consolidated local government; details
Education	HB 270	DuPlessis	Authorize school marshals as persons exempt from prohibition against possession of firearm on school property; details
Education	HB 316	Smart	Bullying: require a school board's code of behavior to include procedures for investigating reports and a method to protect a person who reports
Education	HB 318	Riggs	Change the terms "district of innovation" and "school of innovation" to "public charter district of innovation" and "public charter school of innovation"

Education	HB 320	Denham	Allow deduction for contributions to Educational Savings Plan Trust for higher education, up to \$5,000 per taxpayer per dependent, capped at \$10,000
Education	HB 323	Meyer	Establish Dual Credit Scholarship Program to provide qualifying high school students with funds for tuition, textbooks and required materials
Education	HB 336	Thompson	Provide individual or corporate income tax credit for contributions to a tax exempt entity that supports public education or grants scholarships; details
Education	HB 364	Hale	School restrooms: require students born male to use facilities designated for males and students born female to use facilities designated for females; more
Education	HB 386	Miles	Permit local board of education to allow inspirational message during a school function; require oral notice that participation is voluntary
Education	HB 395	Webber	Freeze tuition and fees for resident students at public post-2ndary institutions at 2015-2016 tuition level for 4 years
Education	HB 399	Nelson	Allow high school student to be selected by peers to serve as nonvoting member of superintendent screening committee
Education	HB 401	York	Allow student who gets undergraduate degree to use any remaining semesters of KEES eligibility toward a graduate degree program
Education	HB 432	Tipton	Establish High School Equivalency Testing program based on National College and Career Standards for Adult Education; details
Education	HB 456	Jenkins	Require council or the principal in each K-12 school to adopt a policy to administer a drug abuse prevention program; details
Education	HB 480	Richards	Establish program allowing an adult or high school student to ride a school bus and accompany a child safely to his or her boarding and drop-off location
Education	HCR 133	Stone	Urge public post-2ndary institutions to consider in admissions and scholarship decisions hardship of students whose parents have died or had TPR; details
Education	HJR 100	Kay	Require General Assembly to appropriate lottery funds as prescribed by statute for needs based scholarships; prohibit “notwithstanding” the statute
Education	HJR 115	Westrom	Require lunch periods of at least 30 minutes so that public school students in grades K-5 have adequate time, whenever feasible, to enjoy a complete meal
Education	SB 1	Wilson	Education reform: implement process for reviewing academic standards and assessments; prohibit norm-referenced exams as a measure of academic growth
Education	SB 15	Robinson	Permit students to voluntarily express religious or

			political viewpoints in school assignments free from discrimination; details
Education	SB 24	J. Carroll	School safety: require school resource officers to have basic and advanced training provided by Department of Criminal Justice Training
Education	SB 29	Jones	Permit age-appropriate education programs on recognition of child physical, sexual, and emotional abuse and neglect and how to report
Education	SB 35	Schickel	School principals and superintendents: require the principal or a designee to develop and implement a wellness policy; more
Education	SB 42	Thomas	Provide programs for an exceptional child until end of student instructional year in which the child reaches the age of 22
Education	SB 50	Girdler	Require schools to schedule first student attendance day no earlier than the Monday closest to August 26, unless a school has year-round calendar
Education	SB 65	Thomas	Require appointment of school equity council member to superintendent screening committee, if council exists; allow board to add high school student
Education	SB 81	Westerfield	Require Department of Education to develop military-connected student identifier in student information system
Education	SB 86	West	Require an election petition for a board of education member to have 20 petitioners
Education	SB 106	Smith	Permit public schools to sponsor artistic or theatrical programs that advance students' knowledge of society's cultural and religious heritage and traditions
Education	SB 107	Givens	Computer science programs in public schools: allow science and math advancement fund to provide grants to school districts for programs; more
Education	SB 127	Wise	Permit high school seniors and juniors to use their KEES awards to pay for dual credit courses; details
Education	SB 133	Schickel	Require local board of directors of a community or technical college to select and evaluate the college's chief executive officer
Education	SB 140	Wise	Authorize Council on Postsecondary Ed to enter into reciprocity agreement with institution in another state to provide distance education to KY residents
Education	SB 142	Ridley	Bullying: require a school board's code of behavior to include procedures for investigating reports and a method to protect a person who reports
Education	SB 148	J. Carroll	Exempt a school district's local effort from SEEK calculation if more than 60% of real property in

			district is exempt from taxation
Education	SB 192	Carpenter	Require all public high school students to pass a civics test based on 100 USCIS citizenship test questions in order to receive a regular diploma
Education	SB 196	Humphries	Establish Books for Brains Program to promote development of a statewide program to encourage preschool children to appreciate books
Education	SB 210	Schickel	Prohibit statewide implementation of English and math Common Core Standards; specify process for creation of new standards; allow local variation
Education	SB 223	West	Allow for the appointment of a school marshal by a local school board or governing body of a private school; allow marshal to carry firearm; more
Education	SCR 22	Thomas	Recognize the Prichard Committee Student Voice Team; encourage districts to incorporate student representation within school governance structures
Education	SJR 114	Kerr	Require lunch periods of at least 30 minutes so that public school students in grades K-5 have adequate time, whenever feasible, to enjoy a complete meal
Employment	HB 1	Stumbo	Authorize KY Asset/Liability Commission to issue bonds to finance pension fund obligations of KY Teachers' Retirement System, up to \$3.3B; details
Employment	HB 18	Jenkins	Make it an unlawful practice for employers to fail to accommodate an employee affected by pregnancy, childbirth, or related medical condition; details
Employment	HB 30	Montell	Determine excess funds in Divisions of HVAC, Plumbing, and Electrical; credit excess to licensing fees
Employment	HB 36	Imes	Require certain non-merit employees to travel to Fulton or Hickman County and to Pike, Martin, or Letcher County prior to being appointed
Employment	HB 49	Nelson	Welding safety: establish requirements for structural steel welding, including certification of welders and use of certified inspectors; definitions
Employment	HB 54	Schamore	Make survivors of EMS services and rescue squad members killed in the line of duty eligible for state lump-sum death benefit and exemption from tuition
Employment	HB 56	Dossett	Exempt from workers' comp coverage lawn services and maintenance, repair, remodeling, or similar work on a private home for less than 20 days
Employment	HB 71	Butler	Allow sheriffs' offices to employ retired state troopers and allow reemployed retired police officers to continue to receive retirement benefits
Employment	HB 73	Nelson	Require contractor for public works projects over \$250K to have 51% of employees be KY residents and 15% be apprentices in approved program; more

Employment	HB 127	Overly	Require the Council on Post 2ndary Ed to implement statewide policy for public post 2ndary institutions to give academic credit for military service
Employment	HB 135	Dossett	Require disclosure of risk in casualty insurance for real property that excludes bodily injury liability for workers who should be covered by a workers' comp
Employment	HB 143	Richards	Allow an income tax credit of \$1,000 for employers who hire individuals who worked in coal industry immediately before becoming unemployed
Employment	HB 149	Donohue	Allow consolidated local governments and collective bargaining units to agree to an 80-hour work period before triggering overtime pay for a peace officer
Employment	HB 150	Howard	UI: allow good cause to leave a job for move to follow a military spouse relocated more than 100 miles from job
Employment	HB 151	Donohue	Require two-person crews on trains or light engines used in connection with the movement of freight; penalize failure to have a two-person crew
Employment	HB 153	Miller	Allow retirees of KRS to volunteer services without required breaks in employment or bar on prearranged agreements; allow reimbursements
Employment	HB 157	Owens	Prohibit employers from using job applicants' personal credit information in hiring decisions; provide civil penalty for violation; exceptions
Employment	HB 159	Donohue	Distinguish "routine" HVAC maintenance from "major repairs;" define direct and general supervision; allow range hood installation without license
Employment	HB 172	Nelson	Remove marriage as a disqualifying event for a widow or widower receiving survivor's benefits from KY Teachers' Retirement System
Employment	HB 180	Brown	"Ban the box:" prohibit employers from considering or requiring disclosure of prior criminal history as part of initial job application
Employment	HB 200	Rowland	Add medical benefits to subrogation recovery and delete reference to legal fees and expense
Employment	HB 209	Meredith	Exempt certain ministers and caretakers of a church or religious organization from workers' comp insurance; make retroactive; details
Employment	HB 219	Short	Establish a refundable income tax credit for certain volunteer firefighters
Employment	HB 238	Yonts	Pensions: specify that the actuarial analysis required on retirement legislation include impact on funding levels and unfunded liabilities over time; details
Employment	HB 241	Yonts	Omnibus Retirement Systems bill: specific treatment

			of lump sum bonuses as creditable compensation; more
Employment	HB 246	Nelson	Require that Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Officers be paid equally to Kentucky State Police Officers with the equivalent rank, grade, and position
Employment	HB 255	Kay	Close Legislators' Retirement Plan to new members; require legislators to participate in Kentucky Employees Retirement System
Employment	HB 268	Graham	Allow transfer of sick leave for a school district employee who changes employment to the Education Professional Standards Board
Employment	HB 269	McKee	Allow veterinarians to release animal welfare information to government authorities; clarify veterinary license to practice requirements; more
Employment	HB 271	Miller	Require state retirement systems to disclose data on each member or recipient of a benefit; require study of consolidation or separation of systems
Employment	HB 278	Stumbo	Raise minimum wage to \$10.10 over three years; define "equivalent jobs" according to federal Equal Pay Act; prohibit wage discrimination; details
Employment	HB 281	DeCesare	Allow mayor or member of a city council not participating in CERS to retire and draw benefits from KERS without resigning
Employment	HB 284	Nelson	Bar Ed Professional Standards Board from taking action against school employee for matters involving no criminal charge or action by school district
Employment	HB 293	Nelson	Temporarily extend time for retired teacher to elect a new pension payment plan after marriage or remarriage or death of designated beneficiary; details
Employment	HB 294	Stewart	Allow donation of sick leave from teachers and employees of one school district to teachers and employees of another school district
Employment	HB 296	Carney	Exempt private offices, clinics and office buildings of advanced practice registered nurses from certificate of need; include practice in term "healing art;" more
Employment	HB 301	Stewart	Allow a school superintendent to recognize up to four years of a teacher's prior service credit toward the four years required for continuing contract status
Employment	HB 311	Rowland	Allow payments of temporary total workers' compensation disability benefits to be offset by wages paid for light duty or alternative duty work
Employment	HB 312	Nelson	Require that pay for Commercial Vehicle Enforcement officers be equivalent to pay for Kentucky State Police officers with similar rank
Employment	HB 314	Riggs	Allow authorized off-duty and retired peace officers to carry concealed firearms at any location where on-

			duty officers may carry firearms
Employment	HB 315	Steele	Allow members of General Assembly and constitutional officers who have CCDW permits to carry concealed deadly weapons anywhere in KY
Employment	HB 327	Butler	Allow off-duty peace officers to carry concealed firearms at any location where on-duty officers may carry firearms
Employment	HB 328	Butler	Require state retirement systems to disclose upon request the names of members and benefit payments to recipients of a retirement allowance; details
Employment	HB 334	Rowland	Allow certification as a peace officer for applicants who have graduated from certain enumerated federal law enforcement basic training courses; details
Employment	HB 338	Jenkins	Allow law enforcement agency to enact regulations for firearms, ammunition, or accessories issued used by peace officers; allow prohibition on carrying
Employment	HB 357	Upchurch	Allow state employees to carry concealed deadly weapons in state vehicles if they are engaged in their official duties and are licensed; more
Employment	HB 362	Nelson	Allow the inclusion of military training in the medical field toward nurse aide training course requirements
Employment	HB 394	Linder	Prohibit sexual offenders from being members of a rescue squad; require sex offender registry checks for all members of rescue squads; details
Employment	HB 419	Thompson	Law Enforcement Foundation: increase supplemental payments to local governments; reimburse local increase in retirement contributions
Employment	HB 427	Yonts	Create a surcharge on state contracts for personnel hired in lieu of state employee; require surcharge to be paid to the unfunded pension liability trust fund
Employment	HB 448	Yonts	Allow employer ending participation in KRS or CERS to "pick-up" employee contributions in new retirement plan so contributions will be tax-deferred
Employment	HB 465	Marzian	Require posting of signs with the National Human Trafficking Resource Center hotline number in every restroom of each rest area in Kentucky
Employment	HB 470	Graham	Teachers' Retirement Housekeeping bill: subject system staff to same fiduciary requirements as board members and investment consultants; more
Employment	HB 473	Riggs	Set basic training of peace officers; set requirements, approved schools and require training hours for police telecommunicators and other safety personnel
Employment	HB 477	Overly	Misclassification in construction: set forth investigation process, remedies, required notices, agency information sharing; more

Employment	HB 505	Benvenuti	Prohibit future members of General Assembly from participating in Kentucky Employees Retirement System; allow current members to opt out; details
Employment	HB 506	Benvenuti	Require state retirement systems to disclose upon request the names of members and benefit payments to recipients of a retirement allowance; details
Employment	HB 513	Benvenuti	Include cancer, with certain exceptions, as a cause of death in the line of duty for firefighters eligibility for benefits
Employment	HB 516	Nelson	Add feminine pronoun to Labor Cabinet statute
Employment	HB 517	Nelson	Add feminine pronoun to wage and hour statute
Employment	HCR 97	Clark	Establish Kentucky Workforce Development Task Force to study workforce development and education and develop recommendations
Employment	HCR 106	Nelson	Recognize the rights of employees in the education workplace and urge employers to respect those rights
Employment	HCR 175	Mills	Direct LRC to study the effect of moving state employees to a 40-hour work week
Employment	HJR 123	Kay	Require all three branches of government to recognize State Employee Appreciation Day
Employment	HJR 160	Mills	Require plan to address pay equity issues in the heavy equipment operator and superintendent job classification series in Transportation Cabinet
Employment	HR 105	Nelson	Commemorate 100 years of workers' compensation in Kentucky
Employment	SB 2	Bowen	Retirement systems: require Kentucky and Teachers' retirement systems to disclose fees and contracts on Web site; eliminate placement agents; more
Employment	SB 3	Stivers	"Right to Work:" prohibit mandatory membership in or financial support of a labor organization as a condition of employment
Employment	SB 9	Schroeder	Exclude construction of educational facilities from definition of "public works" and from meeting requirements of the prevailing wage law
Employment	SB 43	Buford	Make survivors of emergency medical services providers who are killed in line of duty on or after July 1, 2014, eligible for state lump-sum death benefit
Employment	SB 45	McDaniel	Require the disclosure, upon request, of the retirement

			benefit information of current and former members of the General Assembly
Employment	SB 46	McDaniel	Provide for liquidation of local pension funds once all obligations to retirees have been satisfied; more
Employment	SB 87	Adams	Allow consolidated local governments and collective bargaining units to agree to an 80-hour work period before triggering overtime pay for a peace officer
Employment	SB 88	Givens	Clarify the causes for which a teacher's contract may be terminated; establish due process procedures for the appeal of a contract termination
Employment	SB 93	Montell	Determine excess funds in Divisions of HVAC, Plumbing, and Electrical; credit excess to licensing fees
Employment	SB 94	McDaniel	Allow local governments and special purpose governmental entities to opt out of prevailing wage requirements for public works projects
Employment	SB 105	Schroder	Temporary elevator mechanic license: remove required finding of shortage of licensed mechanics; allow for one year with one renewal; details
Employment	SB 109	D. Carroll	Include failure to meet requirements of a professional growth plan for two years as a reason for termination or suspension of a teacher service contract
Employment	SB 113	Bowen	Make technical and clerical changes for Legislators' Retirement Plan and Judicial Retirement Plan
Employment	SB 135	Westerfield	Re-entry: modify the process of notifying a person seeking a license of a potential disqualification based on prior convictions; more
Employment	SB 138	McGarvey	Create a rebuttable presumption of death in line of duty and eligibility for a lump-sum death benefit for firefighters with certain types of cancer; details
Employment	SB 147	Jones	Allow mayor or member of a city council not participating in CERS to retire and draw benefits from KERS without resigning; details
Employment	SB 151	West	Allow payments of temporary total workers' compensation disability benefits to be offset by wages paid for light duty or alternative duty work
Employment	SB 172	McDaniel	Allow members of the state retirement systems to opt out of the defined benefit plan and participate in the hybrid cash balance plan; details
Employment	SB 189	Schroder	Allow retiring KRS member to designate up to four beneficiaries upon retirement; allow retired member to change beneficiary designations; more
Employment	SB 194	Adams	Require that superintendents conduct a name-based background check of child abuse and neglect records

			when considering employment decisions
Employment	SB 195	Robinson	Create a presumption of a death in the line of duty and eligibility for a lump sum death benefit for firefighters with certain types of cancer; details
Employment	SB 198	Schroder	Provide that employees of franchisees are not employees of the franchisor under wage and hour, safety, unemployment and civil rights law
Employment	SB 199	D. Carroll	Law Enforcement Foundation: increase supplemental payments to local governments; reimburse local increase in retirement contributions
Employment	SB 203	McGarvey	Provide death benefits to beneficiaries of deceased state police officer awaiting a decision re death in line of duty; adjust benefits if found eligible
Employment	SB 204	Westerfield	Change the membership of the Workers' Compensation Nominating Commission
Employment	SB 206	Carroll	Allow cities to employ retired police officers with at least 20 years of service; allow reemployed officers to continue to receive retirement benefits; details
Employment	SB 209	Bowen	Allow employer ending participation in KRS or CERS to "pick-up" employee contributions in new retirement plan so contributions will be tax-deferred
Employment	SB 224	Smith	Allow mining companies to establish an in house method of satisfying mine foreman annual training requirements
Employment	SB 226	Buford	Make social service workers eligible for death in the line of duty benefits; allow Cabinet to establish criteria and procedures to obtain the benefit
Employment	SB 227	D. Carroll	Set basic training of peace officers; set requirements, approved schools and require training hours for police telecommunicators and other safety personnel
Employment	SB 239	Westerfield	Establish an alternative examination for licensure as an electrician; require applicants to attend an education class prior to the examination; details
Environment	HB 497	Stone	Declare the state's preemption in seed regulation; more
Employment	SCR 75	Givens	Create Kentucky Workforce Oversight Task Force to study and develop recommendations on benefits, investments and funding of workforce education
Employment	SR 89	Buford	Commemorate 100 years of workers' compensation in Kentucky
Environment	HB 104	Gooch	Prohibit Energy Cabinet from publishing regs or imposing permit conditions to reduce carbon dioxide under federal rules without legislative approval

Environment	HB 106	Smart	Require Energy and Environment to reclassify certain residual wastes to ensure proper management and disposal
Environment	HB 152	Wayne	“Stream saver bill:” require coal mine permittees to dispose of overburden in specified areas; prohibit disposal in streams; more
Environment	HB 187	Yonts	Extend dates to participate in or perform corrective action using money from the petroleum storage tank account; details
Environment	HB208	McKee	Develop a comprehensive prescribed fire program; details
Environment	HB 240	Floyd	Establish a pipeline spill response plan program within the Department for Environmental Protection; allow 45 day comment period on plans; details
Environment	HB 431	Adkins	Define gray water (from hygiene activities) and black water; allow conservation credits for gray water systems that reduce waste flow
Environment	SB 111	Webb	Prescribe requirements for transportation of municipal solid waste to prevent leaks; require study of hydrogen sulfide odors from landfills; details
Environment	SB119	Carpenter	Chemical munitions: require reclassification of residual wastes after treatment or destruction to ensure proper management and disposal; details
Environment	SB 171	Humphries	Include geothermal borehole drilling and geothermal vertical closed loop well installation under regulatory authority of KY Water Well Certification Board
Environment	SB 188	Carpenter	Require stratigraphic test wells to be permitted as oil and gas wells prior to producing oil or gas; grant 3-year confidentiality period for related drilling records
Family	HB 47	King	Require CHFS to notify school in which a child in its custody is enrolled of persons authorized to contact the child or remove the child from school grounds
Family	HB 59	Burch	Address protection: require Secretary of State or designee to operate program; clarify that a sworn statement may be used to prove abuse or neglect
Family	HB 81	Belcher	Permit tuition waivers for foster children enrolled in a dual credit or dual enrollment course in high school
Family	HB 96	Burch	Require that counsel appointed for child or adult for temporary removal hearing must have been trained in domestic violence issues
Family	HB 129	Crimm	Expand grounds for TPR to include attempted or actual infliction of death or serious physical injury to child, parent, stepparent, guardian; details
Family	HB 140	Meade	Adoption: establish putative father registry; redefine

			time when consent to adoption becomes final; require party requesting paternity test to pay for test; more
Family	HB 377	Jenkins	Increase marriage license fee by \$20; earmark funds for spouse abuse shelters, rape crisis shelters, and children's advocacy centers
Family	HB 385	Combs	Create presumption of joint custody in temporary custody orders; grant visitation to grandparents if in child's best interest; more
Family	HB 388	Greer	CPS unannounced visits: require where reported child abuse, neglect or human trafficking occurred when an investigation is required; details
Family	HB 389	Kerr	Grant visitation to grandparents if it is in the child's best interest based on listed factors; details
Family	HB 417	Kerr	Allow expungement of dismissed emergency protective orders
Family	HB 420	Miller	Allow a parent to establish a power of attorney for temporarily delegating parental authority to another person; details
Family	HB 435	Schamore	Exempt administrator of estate from submitting a Social Security number or driver's license when making a claim from unclaimed property
Family	HB 475	Smart	Permit parent or legal guardian to request background check of child abuse and neglect registry records when employing a child care provider
Family	HB 509	Bechler	Provide that child removed from parents shall have access to permanent home as quickly as possible; require placement or TPR and adoption after 15 mos.
Family	HJR 12	Burch	Direct CHFS to spend appropriated funds to provide DCBS foster homes with a per diem increase of six percent
Family	SB 40	Adams	Request Supreme Court to establish pilot project to permit participating courts to make specified juvenile proceedings presumptively open to the public
Family	SB 99	Westerfield	Adoption: establish putative father registry; redefine time when consent to adoption becomes final; require party requesting paternity test to pay for test; more
Family	SB 153	Westerfield	Establish new amounts in the child support guidelines table and delete the old amounts
Family	SB 174	Adams	Adopt federal "reasonable and prudent parent" standard; require child care facility to designate on-site official trained to apply standard; more
Family	SB 215	J. Carroll	Allow adult adopted person to apply for and receive a copy of original unaltered birth certificate

Family	SB 216	McGarvey	Uniform Interstate Family Support Act: update re jurisdiction and establishment, enforcement, and modification of interstate family support orders
Family	SB 238	Westerfield	Remove requirement of ten days' notice when requesting a credit report for purposes of evaluating child support
Government	HB 91	Yonts	Include contracts for personal or professional services and for group health care for public employees in definition of "personal service contract;" more
Government	HB 161	Koenig	Establish new procedure for optional consolidation of counties; award preference points on CDBG applications to consolidated counties; details
Government	HB 164	Westrom	Require Local Government department to prepare a manual of requirements for ADDs; require audits and distribution of financial information
Government	HB 221	Moore	Allow persons with valid concealed deadly weapons licenses or temporary permits to carry concealed weapons in schools and public buildings; exceptions
Government	HB 243	Wuchner	Admin regs: delay the effective date of ordinary regs with major economic impact until the effective date of legislation ratifying the regulation; more
Government	HB 262	Owens	Omnibus early voting bill
Government	HB 290	Meeks	Omnibus no-excuse absentee voting bill: allow in-person voting for any reason in clerk's office or other approved location at least 12 days before an election
Government	HB 307	Owens	Elections: require Board of Elections to issue regs on training of challengers; remove requirement that an entire ballot must be printed in a newspaper; details
Government	HB 319	Yonts	Government contracts "housekeeping:" exempt contracts up to \$40K not requiring professional skill or judgment from routine review process; more
Government	HB 325	Keene	Amend duties of county clerks; create regional public records and licensing administrators; create Task Force for Uniform Indexing System
Government	HB 340	Denham	Authorize the payment of certain claims against the state which have not been paid because of lapsing or insufficiency of former appropriations
Government	HB 341	Bratcher	Constitutional amendment: incorporate the Ninth and Tenth Amendments to the U.S. Constitution into the Constitution of Kentucky
Government	HB 370	Bell	Constitutional amendment: permit the General Assembly to disapprove administrative regulations of the executive branch between regular sessions

Government	HB 430	Bell	Require candidates for statewide office to file their income tax returns when they file notice and declaration with Secretary of State; retro provision
Government	HB 438	Westrom	Require ADD districts to use specific hiring practices when hiring executive director and to comply with state accountability measures; provide for audits
Government	HB 491	Crimm	Transparency: require each branch of government to report additional information to the Legislative Research Commission to effectuate budget review
Government	HB 507	Benvenuti	Set standards for contingency fee personal service contracts for legal services; require AG to make written findings of need for contract; more
Government	SB 129	Harris	Admin regs "housekeeping;" clarify when a later emergency regulation with the same number or governing the same subject matter may be filed; more
Government	SB 177	J. Carroll	Require Legislative Research Commission to employ an ombudsman to receive requests and investigate official acts of state and local government entities
Government	SCR 152	Clark	Urge Congress to propose an amendment to the U.S. Constitution allowing Congress and states to set reasonable limits on spending to influence elections
Health	HB 4	Adkins	Provide an increased penalty structure for trafficking in or possession of synthetic drugs; EMERGENCY
Health	HB 12	Mills	Establish Problem and Pathological Gamblers Awareness and Treatment Program and Advisory Council; limit annual costs to \$200,000; more
Health	HB 20	DuPlessis	Require provider of mammography services to give information to patient on breast density when appropriate; details
Health	HB 37	Montell	Surplus funds in Public Employee Health Insurance Program: allocate 75% to Kentucky, Teachers' and County retirement systems in pro-rata shares; details
Health	HB 42	Keene	Involuntary treatment: include substance use in definition of "mentally ill person" subject to treatment; ensure that 202A petition may be filed
Health	HB 43	Richards	Prohibit powdered or crystalline alcoholic beverage products; details
Health	HB 61	Bechler	Provide that public funds shall not be paid to any entity or affiliate of an entity that provides abortion services; establish exceptions
Health	HB 75	Mayfield	Add staffed churches to the list of permitted safe havens at which an abandoned infant can be dropped off
Health	HB 77	Burch	Require a license to practice dentistry; establish the

			Kentucky Dentistry Board; establish composition, duties, and authority of the Board; details
Health	HB 89	Denham	Prohibit fund transfers from public employee health insurance trust fund to general fund; direct surplus be used to reduce the cost of employee premiums
Health	HB 94	Burch	Court-ordered outpatient mental health treatment: require court to appoint a case management team from community mental health center; more
Health	HB 95	Burch	Telehealth: require DMS to submit a waiver to CMS to provide coverage for home telemonitoring services and direct-to-patient telehealth services; details
Health	HB 100	Hoover	Require health plans that cover autism spectrum disorder treatment to provide a liaison to the insured
Health	HB 105	G. Watkins	Require that involuntarily hospitalized patients are ordered to receive community-based outpatient treatment for at least six months after discharge
Health	HB 115	Burch	Include eligible underinsured individuals in colon cancer screening program; develop schedule of income-based fees; more
Health	HB 118	Stumbo	Medicaid Managed Care: require 85% medical loss ratio; apply prompt payment laws to MCOs; provide for appeals through DOI; penalties and interest
Health	HB 123	Stumbo	Require emergency response medications in child-care centers and family child-care homes to be stored in secure, unlocked location, inaccessible to children
Health	HB 148	Belcher	Permit licensed child-care centers and certified family child-care homes to meet the requirements to obtain epinephrine auto-injectors for emergency use
Health	HB 160	Denham	Require Department for Public Health to establish guidelines for safe disposal of hypodermic syringes, needles, and sharps; details
Health	HB 163	Wuchner	Enact Nurse Licensure Compact; declare purpose; define terms; recognize a multistate licensure privilege to practice for registered and practical nurses
Health	HB 196	D. Watkins	Prohibit individual under 18 from using a tanning device at a tanning facility
Health	HB 217	Denham	Require officials to remove student athletes from play if removed before for concussion and the official suspects required medical evaluation wasn't done
Health	HB 226	Howard	Prohibit a health benefit plan from requiring use of a mail-order pharmacy to fill a prescription; details
Health	HB 247	D. Watkins	Increase cigarette tax by 50 cents; earmark funds for distribution of smoking cessation products; increase

			rates for other tobacco products; tax e-cigarettes
Health	HB 254	Jenkins	Require use of helmet by child under 12 riding or being passenger on a bicycle; establish penalty of \$25; earmark funds for trauma and brain injury care
Health	HB 257	Wuchner	Prohibit certain types of abortion; prohibit after 20 weeks of fetal development; classify placement of remains in landfill as offense of abuse of a corpse
Health	HB 273	McKee	Require annual compilation of charges billed by air ambulance providers; make average but not individual provider cost subject to Open Records Act
Health	HB 282	Belcher	Prohibit health care providers from charging Medicare beneficiaries more than a reasonable charge for services as determined by HHHS
Health	HB 286	Flood	Abortion: allow private medical consultation required between pregnant woman and physician to occur through telehealth
Health	HB 288	Greer	Require same reimbursement for chiropractor as for physician or osteopath; details
Health	HB 289	Stumbo	Require public high schools to provide CPR training to students in a health, physical education, or Junior ROTC course that meets PE graduation requirement
Health	HB 299	D. Watkins	Raise to 21 the minimum age to buy or possess tobacco, alternative nicotine products, and vapor products
Health	HB 321	Kay	Require insurers in Kentucky to offer a percentage of health benefit plans with lower copayment and coinsurance on prescription drugs
Health	HB 322	D. Watkins	Prohibit the open display at retail of tobacco products, alternative nicotine products, and vapor products
Health	HB 326	D. Watkins	Require assisted-living community licensed facility to provide residents with educational information on influenza disease
Health	HB 329	Smart	Establish KY Board of Licensure for Recreational Therapy; authorize consultation and evaluation by a recreational therapist without a referral; details
Health	HB 330	Wuchner	Abuse-deterrent opioid analgesic drugs: prohibit substitution without documentation from a prescribing practitioner; limit cost-sharing; more
Health	HB 346	Wuchner	Require any place in which an abortion is performed to comply with licensure and certificate of need standards for ambulatory surgical centers
Health	HB 349	Bunch	Require a facility that has performed a mammogram to notify a patient if a physician determines that the patient has dense or extremely dense breasts

Health	HB 351	Westrom	Prohibit indoor smoking in businesses, places of employment, and other public places; bar discrimination against persons reporting violations
Health	HB 353	Stumbo	Add amino acid-based elemental formula to list of medicines covered by CHFS for treatment of inborn errors of metabolism; require health plan coverage
Health	HB 369	Bell	Add the Arc of KY to KY Commission on Services and Supports for Individuals with an Intellectual Disability and Other Developmental Disabilities
Health	HB 378	Jenkins	Permit court to order a person incapacitated by substance abuse to treatment; provide that treatment may be covered by a third-party payor; details
Health	HB 384	Riner	Provide for voluntary creation of local government emergency services personnel health and fitness-based incentive program
Health	HB 396	Marzian	Require two office visits before prescribing erectile dysfunction drug; require pledge to use prescription only with current spouse
Health	HB 397	Marzian	Repeal reciprocity requirements for KY Board of Pharmacy's licensing of home medical equipment and services providers in bordering states
Health	HB 398	Marzian	Require new and lapsed pharmacy technician applicants to submit to a nationwide criminal background check; details
Health	HB 410	Meeks	Establish Palliative Care and Quality of Life Council and education program; require health facilities to identify patients who could benefit; details
Health	HB 415	Moore	Authorize purchase of health benefit plans across state lines without regard to state-mandated health insurance benefits; allow purchasing pools
Health	HB 437	Meyer	Require permits for human drug outsourcing and 3rd-party logistics providers facilities, third-party logistics providers and medical gas providers
Health	HB 452	Belcher	Require medical examiner to release ID info and postmortem exam results to procurement organization if body is suitable for transplantation
Health	HB 458	Greer	Prohibit insurers from requiring use of mail-order pharmacies; prohibit a difference in cost-sharing between retail and mail-order; details
Health	HB 481	King	Establish 20-year statute of limitations for actions against abortion providers who do not give full and complete medical explanation
Health	HB 482	Butler	Require CHFS to publish a list of certified adoptive homes; require the list to be provided to a woman seeking an abortion
Health	HB 489	DeWeese	Add physician pronouncing death to those who may

			receive and complete death certificate for medical certificate of the cause of death
Health	HB 492	Wuchner	Remove abortion facilities from exemptions for certificate of need; require facilities to meet standards required of ambulatory surgical centers; details
Health	HB 519	Burch	Family caregivers: establish process to designate a lay caregiver to be contacted upon discharge from a hospital
Health	HCR 4	Meeks	Create Gun Safety and Violence Prevention Task Force to study public safety, public protection, and gun safety issues
Health	HCR 174	Burch	Urge Governor to request that HHS designate people with intellectual and developmental disabilities as a medically underserved population in KY
Health	HR 144	G. Watkins	Encourage WellCare to improve reimbursement for Vyvanse by listing it on the preferred formulary
Health	HR 173	Osborne	Encourage Congress to authorize Food and Drug Administration to study benefits, side effects, drug interactions, and other aspects of medical marijuana
Health	SB 4	Adams	Abortion: specify how the phrase “individual, private setting” shall be interpreted in informed consent situations
Health	SB 7	Wise	Provide that public funds shall not be paid to any entity or affiliate of an entity that provides abortion services; exceptions
Health	SB 17	Alvarado	Prohibit Board of Medical Licensure from requiring maintenance of certification and continuing education for licensure as a physician
Health	SB 18	Alvarado	Establish policies governing the procedures for an insurer or MCO changing an existing agreement with a provider
Health	SB 19	Alvarado	Board of Medical Licensure: require appointments from a list of names submitted by KMA; delete requirement for specialty representation
Health	SB 20	Alvarado	Allow provider that has exhausted an internal appeals process of an MCO to have an administrative appeals hearing; establish mechanism for attorneys’ fees
Health	SB 22	Alvarado	Utilization review: include Accreditation Association for Ambulatory Health Care as nationally recognized accreditation organization
Health	SB 25	Westerfield	Extend the coverage of the Uniform Anatomical Gift Act to a fetus that was the subject of an induced abortion
Health	SB 33	Wise	Require that students receive CPR training one time while enrolled in grades 7-12

Health	SB 34	Thomas	Establish that a mother breast-feeding a child or expressing milk shall report violations of her right to do so to health department; details
Health	SB 48	Embry	Establish Problem and Pathological Gamblers Awareness and Treatment Program and Advisory Council; limit annual costs to \$200,000; more
Health	SB 57	Embry	Permit eligible patients with terminal illness to use investigational drugs, biological products, or devices; prohibit sanctions of health care providers
Health	SB 61	Westerfield	Extend the coverage of the Uniform Anatomical Gift Act to a fetus that was the subject of an induced abortion
Health	SB 67	Alvarado	Allow an athletic trainer to seek reimbursement for services within the scope of practice if the services were prescribed by a physician
Health	SB 78	Alvarado	Include eligible underinsured individuals in colon cancer screening program; develop schedule of income-based fees; EMERGENCY
Health	SB 82	Adams	Establish a framework for licensure of genetic counselors; create KY Genetic Counselors Advisory Committee; prohibit practice without license; details
Health	SB 85	Buford	Create KY Board of Midwifery; provide for licensure and administrative regulations on practice of midwifery; set forth informed consent requirements
Health	SB 108	D. Carroll	Prohibit individual under 18 from using a tanning device at a tanning facility; provide an exemption for medical use of phototherapy devices
Health	SB 114	Hornback	Add Advanced Practice Registered Nurses to medical authorization for functions including police officer medical exams and determinations of cause of death
Health	SB 117	Wise	Pharmacy benefits: require review of maximum allowable cost every 7 instead of 14 days; require pharmacy benefit manager to obtain license; details
Health	SB 123	Jones	Allow a pharmacist to dispense or sell a legend drug or controlled substance if certain conditions exist; exclude Schedule I and Schedule II drug
Health	SB 131	Neal	Specify that a beauty salon or a nail salon may be a fixed or mobile establishment; provide for inspections for mobile salons
Health	SB 134	Alvarado	Require lower-priced biological products to be dispensed when appropriate unless notified otherwise; require labeling of substitutions
Health	SB 139	Ridley	Require medical examiner to release postmortem exam results to procurement organization if decedent's body is suitable for transplantation

Health	SB 146	Jones	Add amino acid-based elemental formula to list of medicines covered by CHFS for treatment of inborn errors of metabolism; require health plan coverage
Health	SB 152	Westerfield	Require an ultrasound prior to an abortion
Health	SB 154	Buford	Allow supervising physician, practice, or institution to determine a physician assistant's countersignature requirements; remove 10% requirement
Health	SB 161	Jones	Encourage physicians, PAs and APRNs who provide well-child care to discuss warning signs of Type I diabetes with parents at birth and specified ages
Health	SB 165	D. Carroll	Allow advance directive that permits surrogates to receive health information and make care decisions only after physician finds lack of decisional capacity
Health	SB 185	Adams	Establish Advisory Council on Autism Spectrum Disorders and create the Office of Autism
Health	SB 193	Alvarado	Add amino acid-based elemental formula to list of medicines covered by CHFS for treatment of inborn errors of metabolism; cover in state employee plan
Health	SB 205	D. Carroll	Specify limits and permitted use of information on inspection reports in advertising or nongovernmental publications about long-term care facilities
Health	SB 211	Kerr	Designate February 21 of each year as "ALS Awareness Day" throughout the Commonwealth
Health	SB 212	Robinson	Remove abortion facilities from the exemptions for certificate of need; require facilities to meet standards required ambulatory surgical centers; more
Health	SB 218	Higdon	Require licensed child-care centers to be tested for radon at least once every five years; require posting of most current report in public location
Health	SB 235	Gibson	Exempt health benefit plan covering treatment of post-acute acquired brain injury shall from the 1% Kentucky Access assessment; details
Health	SCR 10	Buford	Study Kentucky Adult Drug Court program participant demographics and associated statistical data
Health	SR 96	D. Carroll	Encourage WellCare to improve reimbursement for Vyvanse by listing it on the preferred formulary
Housing	HB 16	Simpson	Require recording of deeds and mortgages for properties in certain areas of Kenton County in Covington rather than Independence
Housing	HB 41	Jenkins	Allow residential tenants who hold a DVO or IPO to

			terminate a lease with at least 30 days notice; allow landlord to recover from abuser; more
Housing	HB 55	Wayne	Delete requirement that smaller cities within consolidated local government approve or adopt planning and zoning requirements
Housing	HB 79	Wayne	Create refundable income tax credit for the costs of mitigating noise from a commercial airport for homeowners in second tier noise area
Housing	HB 166	Jenkins	Establish a simplified method to petition for an order to restrain other persons from trespassing onto the petitioner's residence
Housing	HB 168	Floyd	Constitutional amendment: vest power of eminent domain exclusively with government; name Act the Kentucky Landowner's Bill of Rights
Housing	HB 213	Floyd	Eminent domain: exclude natural gas liquids from definition of oil or gas or oil and gas products; require that condemnation be for "public use"
Housing	HB 239	Combs	Exempt from sales and use tax gross receipts from retail sales of manufactured home (100% used, 50% new)
Housing	HB 251	Hoover	City annexation: allow person who owns property in or resides in county election precinct of area to be annexed to challenge the annexation
Housing	HB 272	Thompson	Exempt residential building contractor installing vent pipes from radon mitigation certification requirements
Housing	HB 280	Meade	Require buyer to record deed of real estate sold by master commissioner within 5 days; allow master commissioner to obtain title to abandoned vehicles
Housing	HB 333	Jenkins	Create a 1500 foot setback from residential property lines for deposits in a special waste landfill; allow exceptions via agreement in writing
Housing	HB 337	Kay	Allow a first-time homebuyer an additional deduction for interest paid on indebtedness for a qualified residence; details
Housing	HB 343	Denham	Delineate territory that may be encompassed in creating a fire protection district; set out procedures for changes in boundaries; details
Housing	HB 345	Kay	Establish first-time homebuyer income tax credit for income up to \$50,000 and purchase price up to \$200,000; credit 1% of purchase price or up to \$800
Housing	HB 361	Nelson	Require attorneys in real property transfers to certify on deeds that title examinations have been done; deem failure to do so professional negligence
Housing	HB 372	Owens	Constitutional Amendment: Increase homestead exemption for totally disabled veterans to full

			assessed value if disability service-connected; more
Housing	HB 375	Floyd	Drones: prohibit adding weapons; create cause of action for property owner for trespass; prohibit law enforcement surveillance without warrant; more
Housing	HB 380	Glenn	Apply Uniform Residential Landlord and Tenant Act statewide; preempt local ordinances
Housing	HB 404	Kerr	Include late fees in amounts to be paid to the circuit clerk in an appeal of an eviction action
Housing	HB 411	Simpson	Require local government to advertise application for federal low income housing tax credit; hold public hearing if requested by interested party; details
Housing	HB 422	Meredith	Local code enforcement: establish a lien notification system to notify interested individuals of the placement of liens upon properties; more
Housing	HB 425	Combs	Exempt 50% of the gross receipts derived from retail sales of manufactured homes from sales tax
Housing	HB 439	Clark	Require Department of Housing, Buildings and Construction to establish classifications specific to technical needs of the low-voltage industries
Housing	HB 442	Sinnette	Allow attorneys to file affidavits with county clerks as evidence of release of lien on real property; provide lien holders a remedy if false affidavit is filed
Housing	HB 449	Riner	Prohibit cabinet from approving permit for waste-to-energy facility within certain distance of a school, hospital, place of worship, or residential property
Housing	HB 476	Belcher	Expand eligibility for homelessness prevention project to people with severe mental illness admitted to ER 10 times, youth aging out of foster care, more
Housing	HB 490	Miller	Require supersedeas bond in planning and zoning appeals; bond to include costs, legal fees, and actual, prospective and consequential damages
Housing	SB 64	Harper Angel	Clarify that PVA “reasonable fee” for responses to requests for commercial or business purposes includes personnel time (same as under Open Records Act)
Housing	SB 68	Alvarado	Expand definition of "owner" of a dog to include person who permits dog to remain on or about premises leased and occupied
Housing	SB 71	Alvarado	Require review by city or county legislative body of levy or increase in ad valorem taxes by special purpose governmental entities
Housing	SB 97	Alvarado	Delete registration requirement for mortgage loan processors who are directed and supervised by mortgage loan originator; reduce continuing ed; more

Housing	SB 222	Buford	Include limited liability partnerships and limited liability limited partnerships as entities forbidden from improperly influencing a real estate appraisal
Housing	SB 225	Smith	Expand eligibility for homelessness prevention project to people with severe mental illness admitted to ER 10 times, youth aging out of foster care, more
Housing	SB 229	McGarvey	Landbanks: expand authority; update notice provisions; require motion from landbank to obtain vacant property upon sale with no satisfactory bid
Housing	SB 230	McGarvey	Expand availability of spot condemnation to all local governments; establish tax delinquency diversion program for blighted property
Housing	SB 233	J. Carroll	Prohibit use of a drone for purposes of harassment, to commit acts of voyeurism, or for facilitation of property offenses; penalties
Immigration	HB 169	Clark	Certificate for driving: allow for drivers 18 years or older who have lived in Kentucky for 3 years and who cannot prove citizenship; details
Immigration	HB 186	Yonts	Allow Kentucky to contract with another country for reciprocity in issuance of driver's licenses; allow non-citizen to obtain driver's license
Immigration	SB 159	Thomas	Certificate for driving: allow for drivers 18 years or older who have lived in Kentucky for 3 years and who cannot prove citizenship; details
Public Assistance	HB 62	Shell	Require substance abuse screening program for applicants and recipients of public assistance with felony or misdemeanor history of substance abuse
Public Assistance	HB 63	Shell	Establish a graduated earnings disregard program to incentivize public assistance recipients to seek employment
Public Assistance	HB 74	Glenn	Create trust to establish accounts for benefit of disabled persons as a companion to federal ABLE Account legislation; disregard for public benefits
Public Assistance	HB 197	Meade	Define "fair market value" for Medicaid eligibility as estimate of value of an asset if sold at prevailing price at the time it was actually transferred; more
Public Assistance	HB 348	Bunch	Prohibit recipient or provider of public assistance benefits who has had eligibility revoked due to fraud from receiving or providing benefits; details
Public Assistance	SB 70	Jones	Create trust to establish accounts for benefit of disabled persons as a companion to federal ABLE Account legislation; disregard for public benefits
Public Assistance	SB 179	Schroder	Disregard ABLE account balance, contributions and distributions in determining eligibility for a means-tested public assistance program; more
Taxes	HB 19	Crimm	Establish employers' organ and bone marrow

			donation tax credit for cost of paid leave when employee donates organs
Taxes	HB 23	Steele	Exempt unmined coal reserves from state and local property taxes if owner or lessee does not have a mining permit and does not plan to mine in tax year
Taxes	HB 24	Steele	Distribute 100% of coal severance revenues among coal producing counties on basis of tax collected on coal severed or processed in each county
Taxes	HB 26	Steele	Establish 3-day sales and use tax holiday the first weekend in August to exempt clothing, school supplies, computers and computer supplies; more
Taxes	HB 27	Mills	Exempt commercial production of honey or wax from bees from sales and use taxes
Taxes	HB 45	King	Require roll call votes on fiscal measures voted upon in the Senate, House or a legislative committee; details
Taxes	HB 86	Wayne	Tax reform: implement an earned income tax credit; implement throwback rule for income not taxed elsewhere; disallow tax haven transactions; more
Taxes	HB 93	Clark	Amend definition of "tobacco products" to include "electronic cigarettes" in tobacco taxation
Taxes	HB 112	Denham	Exempt feed, seeds, fertilizers, farm chemicals, farm machinery, water, fuels, and on-farm facilities used in production of equine from sales and use tax
Taxes	HB 126	Smart	Eliminate inheritance tax for Class A beneficiaries; substantially reduce inheritance tax for Class B beneficiaries
Taxes	HB 136	Rowland	Extend energy efficiency tax credits until 2020 on property used as on-farm poultry or livestock raising facilities
Taxes	HB 142	Richards	Establish a qualified research income tax credit for certain research expenses paid by the taxpayer to a Kentucky public university
Taxes	HB 192	Meredith	Exempt from sales tax drugs and over-the-counter drugs used in diagnosis, cure, mitigation, treatment, or prevention of disease in livestock; details
Taxes	HB 193	Meredith	Exempt from sales tax bees used in commercial enterprise for production of honey or wax for sale or pollination of crops
Taxes	HB 195	Short	Establish a standard value of zero for unmined coal reserves not mined during the 10-year period preceding assessment date; exceptions
Taxes	HB 231	McKee	Exempt from sales and use tax drugs for beef cattle, dairy cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, llamas, alpacas,

			buffalo, aquatic organisms, cervids or ratite birds
Taxes	HB 232	DeCesare	Constitutional Amendment: allow General Assembly to authorize cities to provide specific property tax exemptions for economic development
Taxes	HB 233	Heath	Exempt from sales and use tax gross receipts from charitable auction held by non-profit civic, governmental, or other nonprofit organization
Taxes	HB 234	Heath	Exempt from sales and use tax poultry used in production of food for human consumption and poultry or livestock bedding materials
Taxes	HB 248	Meredith	Establish a refundable tax credit for certified volunteer firefighters
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Taxes	HB 266	Harris	Increase coal severance tax proceeds transferred to local government economic development fund from General Fund from 50% to 75%; details re use
Taxes	HB 275	Linder	Permit additional deduction up to \$250 for certain educators for expenses paid that would qualify for deduction except for federal limitation
Taxes	HB 279	Riggs	Exempt from sales and use tax food and food ingredients sold through vending machines or self-service vending systems
Taxes	HB 287	DuPlessis	Restore tax incentive for purchase of coal subject to severance and processing tax for use in generation of electricity or for certain industrial processes; sunset
Taxes	HB 292	Yonts	Limited liability entity tax: expand the definition of "cost of goods sold" to include any costs allowed by the Internal Revenue Code
Taxes	HB 310	Westrom	Phase down the wholesale sales tax rate on distilled spirits beginning August 1, 2016
Taxes	HB 324	Miller	Amend calculation of estimated tax penalty; clarify that no interest is due on estimated payments; require same interest rate for over and under payments; more
Taxes	HB 342	Wayne	Tax Reform: create refundable EIC; raise tobacco tax; tax e-cigarettes; tax some services; cap itemized deductions; phase out pension exclusion; more
Taxes	HB 350	Kay	Establish tax credit for contributions of real estate to qualified conservation agency at 40% of contribution; cap credit at \$100,000
Taxes	HB 374	Thompson	Permit local governments to levy local option sales and use taxes for specific capital projects, if related Constitutional amendment is approved

Taxes	HB 379	Clark	Create nonrefundable tax credit of \$1000 for up to 4 years per apprentice for small businesses who have apprenticeship programs
Taxes	HB 390	Kerr	Inheritance tax: include daughters-in-law and sons-in-law in Class A beneficiaries; reduce tax rate; details
Taxes	HB 405	Kerr	Make specie legal tender (precious metal coins) legal tender in Kentucky; exempt from sales tax; exclude gains or losses from sale from capital gains tax
Taxes	HB 406	Watkins	Create income tax credit for doctors who voluntarily conduct at least 3 core clinical rotations for medical and nurse practitioner students in underserved areas
Taxes	HB 407	Montell	Create refundable tax credit of up to 20% of FMV for restaurants donating apparently wholesome food; limit to 80% of federal charitable deduction
Taxes	HB 424	Rand	Tax credits: increase rehabilitation credit cap to \$10M including \$1M owner-occupied residential; more
Taxes	HB 441	Palumbo	Allow urban-county government to levy extra transient room tax of 2.5% for development of conference center
Taxes	HB 483	Denham	Exempt straw, wood shavings, and sawdust used in agricultural or equine pursuits from sales and use tax
Taxes	HB 512	Watkins	Exempt single member LLC company that is wholly owned by a 501(c)(3) qualified for exemption from federal income taxation from sales and use tax
Taxes	HB 518	Meyer	Exempt building materials, fixtures, or supplies used in fulfilling a government construction contract from sales and use tax
Taxes	SB 21	Jones	Distribute 100% of coal severance revenues among coal producing counties on basis of tax collected on coal severed or processed in each county
Taxes	SB 44	Alvarado	Establish income tax credit for tuition assistance based on contributions made to a qualified scholarship-granting organization; more
Taxes	SB 21	Jones	Distribute 100% of coal severance revenues among coal producing counties on basis of tax collected on coal severed or processed in each county
Taxes	SB 44	Alvarado	Establish income tax credit for tuition assistance based on contributions made to a qualified scholarship-granting organization; more
Taxes	SB 95	Clark	Constitutional amendment: allow partially disabled veterans and law enforcement officers a portion of property tax homestead exemption
Taxes	SB 157	McGarvey	Establish a refundable earned income tax credit at

			10% of allowed federal earned income tax credit
Taxes	SB 166	Carpenter	Allow 3% restaurant tax to be levied by cities and merged governments; earmark 25% of revenue for local tourist and convention commission; details
Taxes	SB 197	Jones	Establish a refundable income tax credit for certain volunteer firefighters; details
Taxes	SB 232	Adams	Allow fire protection and volunteer fire districts in consolidated local government to set property tax rate greater than \$0.10 per \$100 valuation; require vote
Transportation	HB 58	Harris	Shift the annual registration renewal date for trailers from April 1 to April 30
Transportation	HB 69	Simpson	Fuel tax revenues: change revenue sharing formula for allocation to rural and county roads; take into account population, road mileage and land area; more
Transportation	HB 85	Simpson	Direct Office for the Blind to provide KY State Police with language regarding visually impaired and blind pedestrians for the Kentucky Driver Manual
Transportation	HB 121	Westrom	Require vehicles overtaking bicycles to pass at a distance of at least three feet
Transportation	HB 201	Belcher	Exempt transfers between siblings of motor vehicles previously registered in Kentucky from motor vehicle usage tax
Transportation	HB 218	Lee	Allow parent or legal guardian of a minor child or adult person with disabilities to apply for disabled parking plates
Transportation	HB 230	DeCesare	Extend eligibility for overweight permits for transportation of steel products or materials to aluminum products or materials
Transportation	HB 242	Coursey	Require indication of expiration date of disabled parking placard by month and year hole-punch; increase fines; earmark 75% to personal care program
Transportation	HB 332	Rudy	Require a school bus driver to notify supervisor if medication may affect the driver's ability to operate the school bus safely; establish penalties for violation
Transportation	HB 429	Overly	Allow Transportation Cabinet to identify by regulation individuals who must submit to a skills test prior to being issued an operator's license
Transportation	HB 495	Collins	Allow Transportation Cabinet to identify by regulation individuals who must submit to a skills test prior to being issued an operator's license
Transportation	HCR 27	Koenig	Create the Mileage-Based Transportation Funding Task Force to develop and study implementation of a

			mileage-based transportation funding mechanism
Transportation	HJR 91	Rand	Provide that the General Assembly shall adopt the last four years of the six year road plan as a joint resolution
Transportation	HJR 142	Couch	Conduct feasibility studies on economic impact and costs of widening Hal Rogers Parkway to four lanes from I-75 to Hazard County
Transportation	HJR 170	Shell	Study the feasibility of smartphone-based driver's licenses
Transportation	HJR 177	Denham	Direct Transportation Cabinet and Kentucky State Police to study effects of horse-drawn wagons on highway safety and condition
Transportation	HR 9	Decesare	Encourage the Kentucky Center for School Safety to provide additional support for school bus safety; more
Transportation	SB 27	Bowen	Establish an additional initial and renewal registration fee of \$100 for plug-in electric vehicles
Transportation	SB 76	Hornback	Overdimensional vehicles: define the term "nondivisible load"
Transportation	SB 102	Jones	Allow motorized recreational vehicles such as ATVs on portion of Pine Mountain Trail and any other trail within KY portion of Breaks Interstate Park
Transportation	SB 126	Embry	Specify that an autocycle is a type of motor vehicle; outline provisions for operation of an autocycle on a highway
Transportation	SB 170	Bowen	Establish process for issuing overdimensional permits for transportation of steel products not more than a 10-mile radius from manufacturing facility; more
Transportation	SB 183	Seum	Increase the annual license fee for motor vehicle dealers and manufacturers from \$100 to \$150 (later to \$200)
Transportation	SB 240	Harris	Allow Transportation Cabinet to identify by regulation individuals who must submit to a skills test prior to being issued an operator's license
Utilities	HB 98	Nelson	Place a cap on the amount that an electric utility can bill for a basic service charge
Utilities	HB 103	G. Watkins	Allow construction of nuclear power facility on or within 50 miles of site previously used for manufacture of nuclear products
Utilities	HB 108	Gooch	Permit municipal utilities to join together to buy and sell electricity and natural gas; specify elements of agreement to create municipal electric authority

Utilities	HB 177	Imes	Transfer portion of (TVA) in-lieu-of-tax payments deposited into General Fund to local authorities for economic development and job creation activities
Utilities	HB 206	Stone	Transfer portion of (TVA) in-lieu-of-tax payments deposited into General Fund to local authorities for economic development and job creation activities
Utilities	HB 214	Koenig	Allow local governments to collect 911 fees from telematics service connections, CMRS service connections, and VoIP service connections
Utilities	HB 245	Fischer	Prohibit a district from adopting a financing plan that taxes indirect use of sanitary or storm sewers
Utilities	HB 261	Belcher	Require utilities to obtain insurance coverage sufficient to cover replacement of any plant, equipment, property, or facility if destroyed; more
Utilities	HB 291	Gooch	Prohibit utilities from recovering costs of complying with environmental requirements of Federal Clean Air Act until compliance is required; retroactive
Utilities	HB 339	Marzian	Require retail electric suppliers to increase energy-efficiency measures and programs; require PSC to develop guidelines for purchase of renewable power
Utilities	HB 365	Riggs	Require operators of underground facilities to be members of Kentucky Contact Center; release excavators from liability for damages to nonmembers
Utilities	HB 413	G. Watkins	Prohibit marketing, sharing, or selling of wireless phone numbers of subscribers without express written consent; penalties
Utilities	HB 421	Riggs	Require hearing and notice for displacement of waste haulers; require contracts between county and waste hauler to include nondesignated cities that it serves
Utilities	HB 440	Smart	Prohibit changing the substance carried or direction of flow of a pipeline
Utilities	HB 446	Sinnette	Allow cities to deny utility franchisees the ability to recover from ratepayers the franchise fee by adding a fee or surcharge to the bill
Utilities	HB 454	Riggs	Prohibit a county or waste management district from prohibiting or restricting materials recovery by a city in a county with a consolidated local government
Utilities	HB 461	Short	Emission allowances: allocate 10% of Co2 emissions allocated Kentucky under Clean Air Act to certain counties; more re decommissioned plants
Utilities	HB 464	Sinnette	Prohibit utility service shutoff if household shows financial hardship and includes someone who is seriously ill, under 12 or over 65; details
Utilities	HB 498	Denham	Include charter counties and unified local

			governments in class of local governments that may establish 911 service
Utilities	SB 26	J. Carroll	Prohibit changing the substance carried or the direction of flow of a pipeline
Utilities	SB 38	Humphries	Transfer portion of (TVA) in-lieu-of-tax payments deposited into General Fund to local authorities for economic development and job creation activities
Utilities	SB 79	Embry	Permit municipal utilities to join together to buy and sell electricity and natural gas; specify elements of agreement to create municipal electric authority
Utilities	SB 89	D. Carroll	Nuclear power: require that new facilities have a plan for storage of nuclear waste rather than means of permanent disposal; more
Utilities	SB 90	Harris	Direct that applications for cell towers on state-owned property be approved by Public Service Commission
Utilities	SB 141	D. Carroll	Allow one board member of a municipal electric utility to reside outside the city limits
Utilities	SB 190	Thomas	Require retail electric suppliers to increase energy-efficiency measures and programs; specify reporting requirements to the Public Service Commission
Utilities	SCR 135	Humphries	Encourage all cable and satellite providers to offer KET programming to their customers
Veterans	HB 183	Webber	Provide for a disabled veteran-owned business certification program; details
Veterans	HB 194	Schamore	Create POW/MIA special license plate, with extra fees used for National League of POW/MIA Families in Kentucky
Veterans	HB 225	Richards	Require issuance of professional licenses to service members or veterans if their military training provides the necessary experience and skills; details
Veterans	HB 276	Moore	Allow public universities to offer in-state tuition to members of any United States Reserve component
Veterans	HB 367	Richards	Exempt veteran-owned businesses from paying filing fees to Secretary of State; modernize statutes regulating nonprofit corporations; more re notaries
Veterans	HB 414	Benvenuti	Offer hunting and fishing licenses to active duty members of the U.S. Armed Forces at the same cost charged to Kentucky residents
Veterans	HB 487	Imes	Require that 2 members of Governor's Advisory Board for Veterans' Affairs be recommended by Joint

			Executive Council of Veterans Organizations of KY
Veterans	HR 40	Short	Urge KY and federal agencies and officials to get approval and funding necessary for construction of a veterans center in Magoffin County
Veterans	SB 52	Wise	Allow a veteran with bachelor's degree in any area to be issued provisional teaching certificate if other criteria are met
Veterans	SB 92	Jones	Exempt veteran-owned businesses from paying filing fees to the Secretary of State's office for filing various business documents
Veterans	SB 128	Robinson	Permit the Department of Veterans' Affairs to promulgate administrative regulations for the Women Veterans Program
Veterans	SB 162	Buford	Allow veteran of any reserve component of U.S. Armed Forces to request a "veteran" designation on an operator's license or ID card
Veterans	SB 178	Harris	Designate March 30 as Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day in the Commonwealth
Veterans	SB 217	Embry	Military justice: exempt sexual crimes from a statute of limitations; create the crime of sexual harassment; remove definitions related to stalking; more