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KY H 13	SPONSOR: Wayne (D) TITLE: Taxation and Declaring an Emergency INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: HOUSE SUMMARY: Relates to taxation and declaring an emergency; increases the income tax rates; establishes a refundable earned income tax credit at 15 percent of the federal credit; decouples from the federal estate tax phase-out; relates to sales taxes on admissions, accommodations, and services at golf clubs and county clubs; adds new services to be covered by the sales tax and law; recognizes changes to income tax credits; makes income tax provisions apply to certain tax years. STATUS: 02/11/2010 Floor amendment filed. Amendment No. 1 Position: Support
KY H 18	SPONSOR: Nelson (D) TITLE: Education Professional Standards Board INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Education Committee SUMMARY: Relates to the Education Professional Standards Board; adds the chairpersons of the Interim Joint Committee on Education as ex officio members of the Education Professional Standards Board. STATUS: 01/05/2010 INTRODUCED. 01/05/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION. Position: LTOppose
KY H 21	SPONSOR: Lee S (R) TITLE: Charter Schools INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Education Committee SUMMARY: Describes the intent of the General Assembly and the purposes of authorizing public charter schools; outlines the requirements and limitations on the establishment of charter schools; describes local board of education's roles and responsibilities; describes exemptions from law and required compliance areas for charter schools; describes the application, approval, and renewal processes; describes process and application process to convert to charter schools. STATUS: 01/05/2010 INTRODUCED. 01/05/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION. Position: LTOppose
KY H 22	SPONSOR: Montell (R) TITLE: School Attendance INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Appropriations & Revenue Committee SUMMARY: Relates to school attendance; allows students to be counted present at school when participating in school-sponsored regional or state sports competitions sanctioned by the Kentucky Board of Education or its designated agency if the competition occurs on a

regularly scheduled school day; requires students to make up any missed assignments.

STATUS:

03/24/2010 Taken from Orders of the Day; returned to Rules.

03/25/2010 Recommitted to HOUSE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.

Position: LTSupport

KY H 26

SPONSOR: Simpson (D)

TITLE: Open Records

INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: HOUSE

SUMMARY:

Relates to open records; includes in the definition of public agency those bodies that participate in the state retirement systems.

STATUS:

01/12/2010 Posted in committee.

Position: LTOppose

KY H 32

SPONSOR: Richards (D)

TITLE: Educator Award and Recognition Fund

INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: House Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Establishes the Kentucky educator award and recognition fund to provide matching funds for schools that have state and national award winning educators who received cash awards or an equivalent benefit; requires the Kentucky Department of Education to administer the fund.

STATUS:

01/05/2010 INTRODUCED.

01/05/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.

Position: LTSupport

KY H 50

SPONSOR: Belcher Li (D)

TITLE: Digital Citizenship

INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Senate Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to digital citizenship; defines digital citizenship as a set of characteristics that conceptualize the rewards as well as risks facing all technology users; sets forth characteristics; requires the Kentucky Board of Education to promulgate an administrative regulation to require that each local school board shall implement an acceptable use policy that requires all school district employees who use technology to comply.

STATUS:

02/08/2010 To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.

Position: LTSupport

KY H 51

SPONSOR: Belcher Li (D)

TITLE: Suicide Prevention Training

INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010

ENACTED: 03/04/2010

DISPOSITION: Enacted

LOCATION: Chaptered

CHAPTER: 6

SUMMARY:

Relates to suicide prevention training; requires the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to post suicide prevention awareness and training information on its Web page; requires every public middle and high school administrator to disseminate suicide prevention awareness information to all middle and high school students.

	STATUS: 03/04/2010 Act No. 6 Position: LTTrack
KY H 52	<p>SPONSOR: Wuchner (R) TITLE: Body Mass Index INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: HOUSE SUMMARY: (HB 52)Relates to physical activity designed to reduce obesity and improve body mass index in children; requires the Department of Education to identify and disseminate model resources for integrating physical activity during the school day; encourages schools to utilize certified physical education teachers in the development of physical activity plans; develops a reporting mechanism for schools containing grades K-5 to report physical activity, aggregate body mass index, and wellness program data.</p> <p>STATUS: 03/09/2010 Floor amendment filed. Amendment No. 2 Position: LTTrack</p>
KY H 63	<p>SPONSOR: Montell (R) TITLE: Public School Academies INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Education Committee SUMMARY: (HB63) Relates to public school academies; creates new sections of KRS Chapter 160 to describe the intent of the General Assembly and the purposes of authorizing public school academies; defines terms; outlines the requirements and limitations on the establishment of public school academies including which agencies may sponsor an academy; describes a sponsor's roles and responsibilities.</p> <p>STATUS: 01/05/2010 INTRODUCED. 01/05/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION. Position: LTOppose</p>
KY H 77	<p>SPONSOR: Lee S (R) TITLE: Special Needs Alternative Education and Welfare Program INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Education Committee SUMMARY: Relates to the Special Needs Alternative Education and Welfare Program; creates the Students with Special Needs Scholarship Program; deducts the scholarship amount from the resident district's state allotment and sends the amount to the nonpublic participating school; requires a resident school district to provide annual notice of the program to parents, transfer school records and provide or pay for transportation; authorizes such student to take state assessments if requested by the parents.</p> <p>STATUS: 01/05/2010 INTRODUCED. 01/05/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION. Position: LTOppose</p>
KY H 78	<p>SPONSOR: Farmer (R) TITLE: Taxation INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Appropriations & Revenue Committee SUMMARY: Expands the sales and use tax base to include certain services, rental of commercial real estate, and the sale, rental, or lease of shelf space or any other area to display a</p>

product; repeals certain exemptions and lower the sales and use tax rate from 6% to 5.5%; applies the provisions of that chapter to taxable years beginning before January 1, 2011.

STATUS:

01/05/2010 INTRODUCED.

01/05/2010 To HOUSE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.

Position: LTTrack

KY H 94

SPONSOR: Meeks (D)

TITLE: Compulsory School Age

INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: House Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Provides that effective July 1, 2011, compulsory school attendance shall be between the ages of six and seventeen; provides that effective July 1, 2012, compulsory school attendance shall be between the ages of six and eighteen; permits parents to withdraw a child older than the required age after a counseling session with a school counselor.

STATUS:

01/05/2010 INTRODUCED.

01/05/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.

Position: LTTrack

+KY H 109

SPONSOR: Wuchner (R)

TITLE: Early Education Assessment and Intervention

INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010

LAST AMEND: 04/01/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Concurrence

SUMMARY:

Relates to Early education assessment and intervention; defines aphasia, dyscalculia, dysgraphia, dyslexia, phonemic awareness, and scientifically based research; requires the Kentucky Board of Education to promulgate administrative regulations to implement district-wide use of K-3 response-to-intervention system in reading by August 1, 2011, in mathematics by August 1, 2012, and behavior by August 1, 2013.

STATUS:

04/01/2010 From SENATE Committee on EDUCATION: Reported favorably with substitute (2) and amendment 1.

04/01/2010 3rd Reading.

04/01/2010 Committee substitute ruled out of order on SENATE floor.

04/01/2010 Committee substitute (2) adopted on SENATE floor.

04/01/2010 Committee amendment adopted on SENATE floor. Amendment No. 1.

04/01/2010 Passed SENATE. *****To HOUSE for concurrence.

Position: LTTrack

KY H 129

SPONSOR: Yonts (D)

TITLE: Individual Income Tax

INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: House Appropriations & Revenue Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to individual income tax; allows the loan forgiveness tax credit if there are insufficient funds available to the Higher Education Assistance Authority for certain loan forgiveness programs; orders the credit; requires certification of the credit.

STATUS:

02/24/2010 Read second time. To Committee on RULES.

02/24/2010 Recommitted to HOUSE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.

Position: LTTrack

KY H 140

SPONSOR: Yonts (D)

TITLE: Compulsory School
INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Education Committee
SUMMARY:

Provides that effective July 1, 2012, compulsory school attendance shall be between the ages of six and 17; provides that effective July 1, 2013, compulsory school attendance shall be between the ages of six and 18.

STATUS:

01/05/2010 INTRODUCED.
01/05/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.
Position: LTTrack

KY H 142 **SPONSOR:** McKee (D)
TITLE: Classified School Employees
INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010
LAST AMEND: 02/01/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Education Committee
SUMMARY:

Relates to classified school employees; allows a local board of education to seek a waiver from the Kentucky Board of Education to employ in a classified position a person without a high school diploma or ged certificate.

STATUS:

03/25/2010 Taken from SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.
03/25/2010 2nd Reading.
03/25/2010 Returned to SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.
Position: LTTrack

+KY H 146 **SPONSOR:** Cherry (D)
TITLE: Retirement
INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor
SUMMARY:

Relates to retirement; requires that two of the three members appointed by the Governor to the Kentucky Retirement Systems board of trustees possess ten years of investment experience and to define investment experience; establishes a five-member investment committee for the Kentucky Retirement Systems comprised of the two gubernatorial appointees with investment experience and three trustees appointed by the board chair.

STATUS:

04/01/2010 ***** Eligible For Governor's Desk.
04/01/2010 Enrolled.
04/01/2010 *****To GOVERNOR.
Position: LTSupport

KY H 154 **SPONSOR:** Rollins (D)
TITLE: Grant Program
INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Education Committee
SUMMARY:

Establishes a grant program for expanded learning time, making an appropriation therefor and declaring an emergency; provides exploratory planning grants for 2010 in selected schools and implementation 3-year grants based on criteria specified, beginning in spring 2011; requires annual progress reports; require the Kentucky Department of Education to administer the program and provide technical assistance to schools and districts upon request.

STATUS:

	03/04/2010 Position:	To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION. LTSupport
KY H 163	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Stevens (D) Loan Forgiveness 01/05/2010 Pending House Education Committee Relates to loan forgiveness, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency; deletes priority for loan forgiveness from the teacher scholarship program for teachers who have outstanding loan balances for Best in Class for Teachers loans issued prior to June 30, 2008; requires that, beginning with fiscal year 2010-2011, the Kentucky Higher Education Assistance Authority provide, to the extent funds are available, up to \$3,000 per year.
	STATUS: 01/05/2010 01/05/2010 Position:	INTRODUCED. To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION. LTTrack
KY H 164	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: LAST AMEND: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Cherry (D) Inmate Education 01/05/2010 02/24/2010 To Governor To Governor Relates to the transfer of employees, funds, equipment, and supplies engaged in providing educational services to inmates from the Community and Technical College System to the Department of Corrections; relates to employee benefit options regarding retirement plans.
	STATUS: 03/29/2010 03/29/2010 03/29/2010 Position:	Enrolled. ***** Eligible For Governor's Desk. *****To GOVERNOR. LTTrack
KY H 168	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Owens (D) Education Excellence 01/05/2010 Pending HOUSE Relates to support education excellence in Kentucky funding and making an appropriation therefor; provides that a district board of education that levies a tax that is less than the maximum tax rate in a specific year as permitted shall receive a reduced share of any additional support education excellence in Kentucky funds based on the rate in that year.
	STATUS: 02/25/2010 Position:	Posted in committee. LTTrack
KY H 176	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: ENACTED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: CHAPTER: SUMMARY:	Rollins (D) School Performance 01/05/2010 01/14/2010 Enacted Chaptered 1 Sets forth intervention options for persistently low-achieving schools; specifies the

responsibilities of audit teams; specifies timelines for the Commissioner of Education to act upon an audit teams' recommendations; directs the State Board of Education to schedule a special meeting to act upon any appeal by the school council or local board of education of an action by the Commissioner of Education; provides intervention options for persistently low-achieving schools.

STATUS:

02/02/2010 Act No. 1

KY H 190

SPONSOR: Rollins (D)
TITLE: Preschool Education Grants
INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/03/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Establishes the Strong Start Kentucky Program as a grant program administered by the Early Childhood Development Authority to develop collaborative models of preschool education for unserved three-and-four year-old children living at or below 200 percent of the federal poverty level; requires collaboration among all community providers; requires administrative regulations to define the eligible applicants.

STATUS:

03/08/2010 To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.

Position: LTSupport

KY H 211

SPONSOR: Koenig (R)
TITLE: Kentucky Educational Excellence Scholarship Program
INTRODUCED: 01/07/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Permits an eligible postsecondary education student to use his or her scholarship award at any out-of-state institution that is located within fifteen Miles of the Kentucky state border.

STATUS:

01/11/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.

Position: LTOppose

KY H 212

SPONSOR: Koenig (R)
TITLE: Instruction in Voting
INTRODUCED: 01/07/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Requires secondary schools to provide information to twelfth-grade students on how to register to vote, vote in an election using a ballot, and vote using an absentee ballot; recommends instructional methods.

STATUS:

02/16/2010 To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.

Position: LTSupport

KY H 239

SPONSOR: Stevens (D)
TITLE: Literacy
INTRODUCED: 01/12/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/23/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Concurrence

SUMMARY:

Designates the last Wednesday in August as Kentucky Literacy Day to be observed by all public schools in the state.

STATUS:

03/26/2010 Posted for passage for Concurrence.

	Position:	LTSupport
KY H 243	SPONSOR:	Miller (D)
	TITLE:	Suicide Prevention Training
	INTRODUCED:	01/13/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	House Education Committee
	SUMMARY:	Requires the Kentucky Department of Education to develop and distribute to schools guidelines for training in suicide prevention; allows school staff to participate in training; awards professional development credit to staff who participate in training; cites this as The Jason Flatt Act.
	STATUS:	
	01/19/2010	To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.
	Position:	LTTrack
+KY H 290	SPONSOR:	Rand (D)
	TITLE:	Appropriations and Revenue
	INTRODUCED:	01/20/2010
	LAST AMEND:	03/22/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Conference Committee
	SUMMARY:	Relates to appropriations and revenue measures providing financing and conditions for the operations, maintenance, support, and functioning of the government of the Commonwealth.
	STATUS:	
	04/01/2010	CONFERENCE Committee report filed in HOUSE AND SENATE.
	04/01/2010	CONFERENCE Committee report adopted by SENATE.
	Position:	LTTrack
KY H 301	SPONSOR:	Greer (D)
	TITLE:	Compulsory School Attendance
	INTRODUCED:	01/20/2010
	LAST AMEND:	03/04/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	HOUSE
	SUMMARY:	Relates to compulsory school attendance; requires students entering the 9th grade after July 1, 2014 to attend school until their 17th birthday or receive a high school diploma; requires students entering the 9th grade after July 1, 2015 to attend school until their 18th birthday or receive a high school diploma; continues dropout conferences for students between the ages of 17 and 18 until July 1, 2015 school year; makes technical corrections.
	STATUS:	
	03/29/2010	Passed over and retained in the Orders of the Day.
	Position:	LTSupport
KY H 303	SPONSOR:	Stewart (R)
	TITLE:	Public Employees
	INTRODUCED:	01/21/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	House Education Committee
	SUMMARY:	Relates to public employees; allows the statewide transfer of sick leave among school district employees.
	STATUS:	
	01/26/2010	To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.
	Position:	LTSupport
KY H 313	SPONSOR:	Henderson (D)

TITLE: Juvenile Records
INTRODUCED: 01/25/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: HOUSE

SUMMARY:

Relates to records relating to juveniles who commit criminal offenses; provides juveniles records to schools to include misdemeanor records relating to sexual offenses; provides for juvenile records by schools to include misdemeanor records relating to sexual offenses; provides for records to be transferred to a new school when child changes schools to include juvenile records involving criminal offenses.

STATUS:

03/01/2010 Posted in committee.
Position: LTSupport

KY H 322 **SPONSOR:** Stevens (D)
TITLE: Principal Selection
INTRODUCED: 01/26/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Education Committee
SUMMARY:

Relates to principal selection; permits the superintendent to fill a principal vacancy in a school after consultation with the school council; requires the superintendent to provide additional personnel applicants to the principal upon request.

STATUS:

02/25/2010 Posted in committee.
Position: Oppose

+KY H 327 **SPONSOR:** McKee (D)
TITLE: High School Athletics
INTRODUCED: 01/27/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/23/2010
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor
SUMMARY:

Relates to high school athletics; requires the Kentucky Board of Education or any agency designated by the state board to manage interscholastic athletics to promulgate administrative regulations that permit the hiring of a nonteaching or noncertified person in a coaching position; specifies the qualifications necessary for a person to be employed in a coaching position; requires the regulations to specify the post-hire requirements for a nonteaching or noncertified coach.

STATUS:

04/01/2010 HOUSE concurred in SENATE Amendment No. 1-title and 2.
04/01/2010 ***** Eligible For Governor's Desk.
04/01/2010 *****To GOVERNOR.
Position: LTOppose

KY H 345 **SPONSOR:** Nesler (D)
TITLE: Election of Local Board of Education Members
INTRODUCED: 02/01/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: HOUSE
SUMMARY:

Relates to the election of local board of education members; provides that in county school districts the board of education members shall be elected from divisions within the county by qualified voters of the county at large, except in counties that contain a city of first class, in which case, the qualified voters residing in the respective divisions elect the board members.

STATUS:

02/17/2010 Posted in committee.
Position: LTTrack

KY H 351 **SPONSOR:** Miller (D)
TITLE: Leaves of Absence for Teachers
INTRODUCED: 02/01/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: HOUSE
SUMMARY:
Relates to leaves of absence for teachers; permits a local board of education to grant a leave of absence for reasons deemed appropriate or necessary.
STATUS:
02/05/2010 Posted in committee.
Position: LTSupport

KY H 367 **SPONSOR:** Yonts (D)
TITLE: School Sponsored Media in Public High Schools
INTRODUCED: 02/03/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Education Committee
SUMMARY:
Relates to school-sponsored media in public high schools; defines the terms school-sponsored media, student journalist, and student media adviser; requires a board of education with a public high school within its district to adopt a policy which includes reasonable provisions for distribution and dissemination of school-sponsored media student content responsibility student media adviser rights and protections criteria for responsible journalism.
STATUS:
02/08/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.
Position: Support

+KY H 376 **SPONSOR:** Combs (D)
TITLE: Speech Language Pathologists and Audiologists
INTRODUCED: 02/03/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/29/2010
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor
SUMMARY:
Relates to speech-language pathologists and audiologists, and making an appropriation therefor; provides an annual salary supplement for speech-language pathologists and audiologists holding a certificate of clinical competence from the American Speech-Language Hearing Association or the American Board of Audiology; requires, as a condition of receiving the supplement, that a speech-language pathologist or audiologist be employed by a local board of education.
STATUS:
04/01/2010 Posted for passage for Concurrence.
04/01/2010 HOUSE concurred in SENATE substitute and amendment 1-title.
04/01/2010 ***** Eligible For Governor's Desk.
04/01/2010 Enrolled.
04/01/2010 *****To GOVERNOR.
Position: LTTrack

KY H 412 **SPONSOR:** Jenkins (D)
TITLE: Alternative Education Programs
INTRODUCED: 02/10/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House Health and Welfare Committee
SUMMARY:
Relates to alternative education programs; requires the Education Assessment and Accountability Review Subcommittee to review alternative education programs; directs the Kentucky Board of Education, with the assistance of the Department of Juvenile Justice and the Cabinet for Health and Family Services, to promulgate an administrative regulation to create a classification and data collection system for students in alternative

education programs designed to provide services to at risk population.

STATUS:

03/03/2010 Taken from Regular Orders of the Day.

03/03/2010 Recommitted to HOUSE Committee on HEALTH AND WELFARE.

Position: LTSupport

KY H 425

SPONSOR: Sinnette (D)

TITLE: Dental Services

INTRODUCED: 02/12/2010

LAST AMEND: 03/11/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: SENATE

SUMMARY:

Relates to dental services; provides that contracts between limited health service benefit plans and dentists may not set fees unless the fees pertain to covered services under the plan; defines covered services.

STATUS:

03/25/2010 Read second time. To Committee on RULES.

03/25/2010 Floor amendment filed. Amendment No. 1.

Position: LTOppose

KY H 426

SPONSOR: Tilley (D)

TITLE: Retirement

INTRODUCED: 02/12/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Senate State and Local Government Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to retirement; requires the boards of the Kentucky Retirement Systems and the Kentucky Teachers' Retirement System to establish a securities litigation policy; requires the policy to include: processes for identifying and assessing the value of claims, guidelines for evaluating whether the systems should pursue litigation including establishing a working group comprised of the Attorney General and representatives from the systems to evaluate and make recommendations on potential claims to the board.

STATUS:

03/10/2010 To SENATE Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT.

Position: LTTrack

KY H 436

SPONSOR: Burch (D)

TITLE: School Nurse Pilot Program

INTRODUCED: 02/16/2010

LAST AMEND: 03/18/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Senate Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to the School Nurse Pilot Program and making an appropriation therefor; establishes the School Nurse Pilot Program to employ licensed nurses in public elementary schools; requires the Cabinet for Health and Family Services to administer the pilot program; establishes the purpose of the pilot program; provides that pilot program funds may be allocated to schools; establishes the requirements for allocation of pilot program funds to schools and the purposes for which the funds may be used by schools.

STATUS:

03/22/2010 To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.

Position: LTSupport

KY H 461

SPONSOR: Napier (R)

TITLE: Income Tax Deduction for Teachers

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: House Appropriations & Revenue Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to an income tax deduction for teachers; provides a deduction for the cost of tuition to a masters level program for teachers.

STATUS:

02/22/2010 To HOUSE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.

Position: LTSupport

KY H 468

SPONSOR: Butler Dw (R)

TITLE: Children With Chronic Health Conditions in School

INTRODUCED: 02/19/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: House Appropriations & Revenue Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to children with chronic health conditions in school; directs the Kentucky Department of Education to recommend procedures for routine and emergency situations in which a child with a chronic health conditions such as diabetes, asthma, severe allergies, and epilepsy, experiences a health episode that necessitates leaving the classroom or other school setting to obtain treatment; requires school staff to ensure adult escort to a school office for treatment.

STATUS:

03/29/2010 Recommitted to HOUSE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.

Position: LTSupport

KY H 482

SPONSOR: Stone (D)

TITLE: Facilities Support Program of Kentucky

INTRODUCED: 02/23/2010

LAST AMEND: 03/18/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Senate Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to the Facilities Support Program; deletes the sunset date for equalization funds; permits equalization funds to be available to a local school district until the bonds supported by the equalization funding are retired.

STATUS:

03/22/2010 To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.

Position: LTTrack

KY H 487

SPONSOR: Henderson (D)

TITLE: School Calendars

INTRODUCED: 02/23/2010

LAST AMEND: 03/26/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Concurrence

SUMMARY:

Relates to school calendars and declares an emergency; allows a local board of education in a district that missed 20 or more instructional days during the 2009-2010 school year to request the commissioner of education to waive the makeup of instructional days missed beyond 20 days, up to a maximum of 10 days, including waiver of makeup days beyond 20 days scheduled in the district's approved calendar; requires the commissioner to approve the request; requires all staff to make up waived days.

STATUS:

03/29/2010 Posted for passage for Concurrence.

03/29/2010 HOUSE refused to concur in SENATE Substitute and Amendment No. 1-
title

Position: LTSupport

KY H 493

SPONSOR: Jenkins (D)

TITLE: Collective Bargaining for Public Employees

INTRODUCED: 02/24/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: House Appropriations & Revenue Committee
SUMMARY:
Relates to collective bargaining for public employees and making an appropriation therefor; creates an omnibus collective bargaining bill for public employees.
STATUS:
03/24/2010 Taken from Orders of the Day; returned to Rules.
03/25/2010 Recommitted to HOUSE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.
Position: LTSupport

KY H 503 **SPONSOR:** Jenkins (D)
TITLE: State Employee Health Insurance
INTRODUCED: 02/25/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: House State Government Committee
SUMMARY:
Relates to state employee health insurance; requires the Personnel Cabinet to develop a tiered system based on salary for state employee premiums for dependent coverage; requires the cabinet to ensure single coverage is not affected; requires the cabinet to report to the Legislative Research Commission by October 1, 2010; requires the cabinet to implement tiers beginning January 1, 2011.
STATUS:
02/26/2010 To HOUSE Committee on STATE GOVERNMENT.
Position: LTTrack

KY H 513 **SPONSOR:** Tilley (D)
TITLE: Books for Preschool Children Appropriation
INTRODUCED: 02/25/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Education Committee
SUMMARY:
Relates to books for preschool children and making an appropriation therefor; establishes the Books for Brains Program to promote the development of a comprehensive statewide program for encouraging preschool children to develop an appreciation of books; attaches the program to the Department for Libraries and Archives for administrative purposes; establishes a governing board of 7 members appointed by the Governor for staggered 4 year terms.
STATUS:
03/17/2010 To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.
Position: LTSupport

KY H 523 **SPONSOR:** Belcher Li (D)
TITLE: Obesity in School Children
INTRODUCED: 02/25/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: HOUSE
SUMMARY:
Directs the Board of Education to require a physical fitness test to be given at the beginning and end of each school year; requires that the test include a measure of body mass index; provides information that may be used by the student and parents at home; provides school councils fitness information about the student body; requires schools to annually report the name of the test used and the percentage of the student body showing improvement.
STATUS:
03/01/2010 Posting waived.
Position: LTTrack

KY H 531 **SPONSOR:** Damron (D)
TITLE: Funding Notes
INTRODUCED: 02/25/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/16/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Senate Appropriations & Revenue Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to the sale, issuance, approval, and status of funding notes with respect to the Commonwealth and its political subdivisions; includes a state medical insurance fund stabilization contribution in the definitions of financing agreement and funding notes; permits the Asset Liability Commission to issue and sell funding notes to fund state medical insurance fund stabilization contributions; permits the refinancing of these contributions.

STATUS:

03/25/2010 Taken from SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.

03/25/2010 2nd Reading.

03/25/2010 Returned to SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.

Position: LTSupport

KY H 539

SPONSOR: Flood (D)

TITLE: Educator Evaluation

INTRODUCED: 02/26/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: House Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to educator evaluation; requires the Board of Education, by January 1, 2011, to review and revise its administrative regulations on personnel evaluation to promote continuous professional growth and development of skills for teachers and education leaders; requires the Department of Education and selected groups to develop a local evaluation system prior to the beginning of the 2012-2013 school year.

STATUS:

03/02/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.

Position: LTTrack

+KY H 540

SPONSOR: Rollins (D)

TITLE: Teachers' Retirement

INTRODUCED: 02/26/2010

LAST AMEND: 03/29/2010

DISPOSITION: To Governor

LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Relates to teachers' retirement, making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency; creates the Teachers' Retirement System Insurance Trust Fund to supplement the current medical insurance trust fund; specifies that the trust fund assets shall be dedicated to health benefits; describes the contributions that would be made to the medical insurance fund.

STATUS:

04/01/2010 Posted for passage for Concurrence.

04/01/2010 HOUSE concurred in SENATE Substitute.

04/01/2010 ***** Eligible For Governor's Desk.

04/01/2010 Enrolled.

04/01/2010 *****To GOVERNOR.

Position: Support

KY H 544

SPONSOR: Overly (D)

TITLE: Professional Stages for Teachers

INTRODUCED: 02/26/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: House Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to professional stages for teachers; directs the Department of Education to convene a group of representatives to develop a professional stages for outstanding teachers and provide them the opportunity for recognition and monetary rewards while remaining as classroom teachers; specifies that the professional stages shall be in addition to an adequate base salary schedule for all teachers and shall have four levels.

	STATUS: 03/02/2010 Position:	To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION. LTSupport
KY H 545	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Rollins (D) Teachers' Retirement System 02/26/2010 Pending SENATE Relates to the teachers' retirement system and declaring an emergency; establishes a medical insurance trust fund under Section 115 of the Internal Revenue Code to supplement the current Section 401(h) medical insurance trust fund; clarifies when paid sick leave is used for retirement calculation purposes; clarifies that retirement system membership is determined by the job classification, not by an individual position.
	STATUS: 03/24/2010 Position:	From SENATE Committee on STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Reported favorably with substitute. LTSupport
KY H 577	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Rollins (D) Development of Highly Effective Teachers and School Lea 03/02/2010 Pending House Education Committee Relates to the development of highly effective teachers and school leaders; establishes the roles of the Kentucky Board of Education, the Kentucky Department of Education, the Council on Postsecondary Education, the Education Professional Standards Board, and local school districts in providing a comprehensive statewide program of professional development for teachers and education leaders; amends krs 156.095 to require that the Department of Education maintain an electronic consumer bulletin board.
	STATUS: 03/04/2010 Position:	To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION. LTTrack
KY H 582	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Mills (D) Tax Credits to Promote Quality Education in Kentucky 03/02/2010 Pending HOUSE Relates to tax credits to promote quality education in Kentucky; creates new sections of krs Chapter 141 to establish a tuition assistance tax credit and an innovative education tax credit; excludes from any amount received as tuition assistance from the definition of "adjusted gross income"; establishes the order in which the credits may be taken; 136.575 to allow financial institutions to take the tuition assistance tax credit and the innovative education tax credit against the bank franchise tax.
	STATUS: 03/12/2010 Position:	Posted in committee. Oppose
KY H 583	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Montell (R) Charter Schools 03/02/2010 Pending House Education Committee Relates to charter schools; creates new sections of krs Chapter 160 to describe the intent of the General Assembly and the purposes of authorizing charter schools; defines terms; outlines the requirements and limitations on the establishment of charter school

including authorizers to be local boards of education, boards of trustees of state research universities, or boards of regents of state comprehensive universities; describes authorizer's roles and responsibilities.

STATUS:

03/04/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.

Position: Oppose

KY H 593

SPONSOR: DeCesare (R)

TITLE: Prevailing Wage

INTRODUCED: 03/02/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: House Labor and Industry Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to prevailing wage; raises the threshold exemption for public works projects from \$250,000 to \$1,000,000 when requiring payment of prevailing wages and exempt all construction projects in elementary, secondary, and post-secondary buildings and facilities from the prevailing wage requirements.

STATUS:

03/04/2010 To HOUSE Committee on LABOR AND INDUSTRY.

Position: Oppose

KY H 597

SPONSOR: Rollins (D)

TITLE: Public Schools and Declaring an Emergency

INTRODUCED: 03/02/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: HOUSE

SUMMARY:

Relates to public schools and declaring an emergency; defines "professional development" and "professional learning," "professional learning team, and "school calendar"; describes the technical assistance role of the Kentucky Department of Education for professional development; changes the name of "professional development coordinator" to "professional growth coordinator"; identifies the areas that local boards of education shall address in their policies on professional development.

STATUS:

03/05/2010 Posted in committee.

Position: LTOppose

KY HCR 12

SPONSOR: Richards (D)

TITLE: Student Laptops

INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: Senate Appropriations & Revenue Committee

SUMMARY:

Directs the Legislative Research Commission to establish a legislative task force to establish a strategy to provide home laptop computers for middle school students.

STATUS:

03/22/2010 To SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.

Position: LTSupport

KY HJR 122

SPONSOR: Clark L (D)

TITLE: Economic Development

INTRODUCED: 02/01/2010

DISPOSITION: Pending

LOCATION: SENATE

SUMMARY:

Directs the Director of the Legislative Research Commission to engage a consulting firm to study the effectiveness of economic development incentive programs; requires results to be submitted by December 1, 2010.

STATUS:

03/17/2010 Read second time. To Committee on RULES.

Position: LTSupport

KY HR 5	<p>SPONSOR: Glenn (D) TITLE: University and College Administrators INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: House Education Committee SUMMARY: Encourages support for university and college administrators with teaching credentials and experience to teach classes. STATUS: 01/06/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION. Position: LTSupport</p>
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KY HR 97	<p>SPONSOR: Rollins (D) TITLE: Cassandra Webb INTRODUCED: 01/26/2010 ENACTED: 02/24/2010 DISPOSITION: Adopted LOCATION: Adopted SUMMARY: Confirm the appointment of Cassandra A. Webb to the Education Professional Standards Board for a term expiring September 18, 2012. STATUS: 02/24/2010 Passed HOUSE. Position: Support</p>
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KY HR 106	<p>SPONSOR: Rollins (D) TITLE: Education Board Appointment INTRODUCED: 01/27/2010 ENACTED: 02/24/2010 DISPOSITION: Adopted LOCATION: Adopted SUMMARY: Confirm the reappointment of Zenaida M. Smith to the Education Professional Standards Board for a term expiring September 18, 2013. STATUS: 02/24/2010 Passed HOUSE. Position: Support</p>
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KY HR 118	<p>SPONSOR: Graham (D) TITLE: 2010 Career and Technical Education Month INTRODUCED: 02/01/2010 DISPOSITION: Pending LOCATION: HOUSE SUMMARY: Adjourns the House of Representatives in commemoration of February as 2010 Career and Technical Education Month. STATUS: 02/01/2010 INTRODUCED. Position: LTSupport</p>
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KY HR 125	<p>SPONSOR: Burch (D) TITLE: Department for Public Health to Educate Parents on the INTRODUCED: 02/03/2010 ENACTED: 02/03/2010 DISPOSITION: Adopted LOCATION: Adopted SUMMARY: Urges the Department for Public Health to educate parents on the importance of adolescent well health physicals. STATUS:</p>
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	02/03/2010	INTRODUCED.
	02/03/2010	Passed HOUSE.
	Position:	LTSupport
KY HR 142	SPONSOR:	Rollins (D)
	TITLE:	Adjourn the House of Representatives in Commemoration O
	INTRODUCED:	02/08/2010
	ENACTED:	02/09/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Adopted
	LOCATION:	Adopted
	SUMMARY:	Adjourn the House of Representatives in commemoration of February as 2010 Career and Technical Education Month.
	STATUS:	
	02/09/2010	Passed HOUSE.
	Position:	LTSupport
KY HR 193	SPONSOR:	McKee (D)
	TITLE:	Kentucky School Boards Association
	INTRODUCED:	02/24/2010
	ENACTED:	02/24/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Adopted
	LOCATION:	Adopted
	SUMMARY:	Urges the School Boards Association to study if current statutory language prohibits minority candidates from serving on local school boards.
	STATUS:	
	02/24/2010	INTRODUCED.
	02/24/2010	Passed HOUSE.
KY S 9	SPONSOR:	Shaughnessy (D)
	TITLE:	College Admission Standards
	INTRODUCED:	01/05/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Senate Education Committee
	SUMMARY:	Prohibits the use of act assessment scores and subscores by public colleges and universities for the mandatory placement of first-time students in developmental or credit-bearing courses; permits the Council on Postsecondary Education to promulgate an administrative regulation including act scores as a component in college readiness and admission standards after the Kentucky Board of Education has adopted revised high school content standards.
	STATUS:	
	01/06/2010	To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.
	Position:	LTSupport
KY S 28	SPONSOR:	Westwood (R)
	TITLE:	Technical Education
	INTRODUCED:	01/05/2010
	LAST AMEND:	03/17/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	HOUSE
	SUMMARY:	Defines terms relating to career and technical education; specifies the intent of the General Assembly and to clarify purposes of career and technical education and legislative beliefs; requires communication of the minimum college and career-readiness standards to all local school districts prior to the beginning of the 2011-2012 school year.
	STATUS:	
	03/23/2010	Posted in committee.
	03/23/2010	Posting waived.
	Position:	Oppose

KY S 43 **SPONSOR:** Kerr A (R)
TITLE: Special Needs Students
INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Education Committee
SUMMARY:
Establishes the Students with Special Needs Scholarship Program; defines terminology regarding participation; describes the process for the Kentucky Department of Education to receive student applications and to allocate scholarship funding; requires a resident school district to provide annual notice of the scholarship program to parents, transfer school records, and provide transportation.
STATUS:
01/06/2010 To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.
Position: LTOppose

+KY S 65 **SPONSOR:** Seum (R)
TITLE: Suicide Prevention Training
INTRODUCED: 01/05/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/15/2010
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor
SUMMARY:
Requires principals, guidance counselors, and teachers to complete a minimum of two hours of instruction in suicide prevention each school year; requires two hours of suicide prevention techniques in addition to the required four days of professional development for high school professionals.
STATUS:
04/01/2010 *****To GOVERNOR.
Position: LTTrack

KY S 67 **SPONSOR:** Winters (R)
TITLE: Early High School Graduation
INTRODUCED: 01/06/2010
LAST AMEND: 02/09/2010
DISPOSITION: Failed
LOCATION: HOUSE
SUMMARY:
Establishes an option for Early high school graduation beginning in the 2011-2012 school year; defines the curriculum requirements for Early graduation and unconditional admission into a Kentucky public two-year community and technical college and the requirements for conditional admission into a four-year public college; establishes the Early Graduation Scholarship Certificate and the processes for awarding it and using it.
STATUS:
03/25/2010 Failed to pass HOUSE.
Position: LTOppose

KY S 68 **SPONSOR:** Winters (R)
TITLE: Selection of School Personnel
INTRODUCED: 01/06/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/26/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Concurrence
SUMMARY:
Requires the Kentucky Department of Education to develop a teacher selection training module; requires the department to provide training on the use of the module to all principals; establishes requirements for all principals to complete the initial training module; requires the department to develop a training module update and make available to principals who have completed the initial training.
STATUS:
03/29/2010 Posted for passage for Concurrence.

	03/29/2010	SENATE refused to concur in HOUSE Substitute and Amendment No. 1 and 2-title.
	Position:	LTSupport
KY S 69	SPONSOR:	Winters (R)
	TITLE:	Incentives for Teachers
	INTRODUCED:	01/06/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Senate Education Committee
	SUMMARY:	Requires local school districts, under certain conditions, to provide a salary supplement, beginning in the 2010-2011 school year and thereafter to teachers of chemistry, physics, or mathematics and to teachers of chemistry, physics, or mathematics employed in schools with a high concentration of students eligible for free or reduced lunch; requires the Education Professional Standards Board to promulgate administrative regulations; establishes that the monetary awards for teachers shall not be used.
	STATUS:	
	01/07/2010	To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.
	Position:	LTOppose
+KY S 89	SPONSOR:	Worley (D)
	TITLE:	National Board Certified Teachers
	INTRODUCED:	01/13/2010
	ENACTED:	03/30/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Enacted
	LOCATION:	Chaptered
	CHAPTER:	39
	SUMMARY:	Provides salary supplements to national board-certified teachers employed in Kentucky Tech schools operated by the Education and Workforce Development Cabinet; specifies that the state-employed teacher's base salary shall be considered in the calculation for contributions to the Teachers' Retirement System.
	STATUS:	
	04/01/2010	Act No. 39
	Position:	LTSupport
KY S 91	SPONSOR:	Carroll (D)
	TITLE:	Preschool
	INTRODUCED:	01/15/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Senate Education Committee
	SUMMARY:	Relates to preschool for children with disabilities to fund the program based on the average of a child-count taken on December 1 and March 1 of the prior year; removes the negative adjustment for programs that lose enrollment.
	STATUS:	
	01/19/2010	To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.
	Position:	LTSupport
KY S 94	SPONSOR:	McGaha (R)
	TITLE:	Summer Learning Camps
	INTRODUCED:	01/20/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	House Appropriations & Revenue Committee
	SUMMARY:	Relates to summer learning camps and declaring an emergency; creates new sections of krs Chapter 158 to outline rationale for summer learning camps; defines terms; encourages the establishment of summer learning camps for students who are identified for Title I services that meet certain minimum requirements and that include innovative instruction in the core academic areas and enrichment activities; describes how funding may be provided.

STATUS:
03/29/2010 Taken from Regular Orders of the Day.
03/29/2010 Recommitted to HOUSE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.
Position: LTTrack

KY S 125 **SPONSOR:** Stine (R)
TITLE: School Facilities
INTRODUCED: 02/01/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/03/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: HOUSE
SUMMARY:
Relates to school facilities; prohibits the Department of Education from modifying the designation or classification of a school facility while the facility is being remodeled or renovated.
STATUS:
03/19/2010 Posted in committee.
Position: LTTrack

+KY S 132 **SPONSOR:** Stine (R)
TITLE: Design in School Buildings
INTRODUCED: 02/04/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/25/2010
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor
SUMMARY:
Relates to efficient design in school buildings and making an appropriation therefor; creates new sections to support and encourage the construction and renovation of school buildings using efficient design concepts; establishes a Kentucky efficient school design trust fund; requires the Department of Education to develop and publish guidelines for efficient school design; requires the department to provide annual reports; includes criteria for building evaluation.
STATUS:
04/01/2010 Enrolled.
04/01/2010 *****To GOVERNOR.
Position: LTTrack

KY S 134 **SPONSOR:** Jones (D)
TITLE: Retirement
INTRODUCED: 02/04/2010
DISPOSITION: Failed
LOCATION: Withdrawn
SUMMARY:
Relates to retirement; requires executive branch agencies to reduce the compensation of current unclassified employees and all employees hired on or after August 1, 2010, by the amount of retirement benefit received by the Kentucky Employees Retirement System, the State Police Retirement System, the Judicial Retirement Plan, or the Legislators' Retirement Plan if they have retired and returned to work with the executive branch.
STATUS:
02/26/2010 Withdrawn from further consideration.
Position: LTTrack

+KY S 163 **SPONSOR:** Westwood (R)
TITLE: Adolescent Reading Skills
INTRODUCED: 02/22/2010
ENACTED: 03/30/2010
DISPOSITION: Enacted
LOCATION: Chaptered
CHAPTER: 42
SUMMARY:

Relates to adolescent reading skills; directs the Department of Education to provide assistance in teaching strategies to help teachers improve reading skills necessary to comprehend subject area concepts and content and to identify and align student reading skills to meet state content standards; encourages the development of comprehensive middle and high school adolescent reading plans; adds a duty to the Collaborative Center for Literacy Development to assist those schools in such plans.

STATUS:

04/01/2010 Act No. 42

Position: LTTrack

+KY S 178 **SPONSOR:** Givens (R)
TITLE: Evaluation of Superintendents of Schools
INTRODUCED: 02/25/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/25/2010
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Relates to evaluation of superintendents of schools; clarifies the evaluation requirements for the local superintendent; requires that the summative evaluation be discussed and adopted in an open meeting of the local board of education and reflected in the minutes and approved by the Department of Education; specifies that if the local policy requires a written evaluation that it shall be made available to the public upon request; provides all preliminary discussions shall be in closed session.

STATUS:

04/01/2010 *****To GOVERNOR.

Position: LTTrack

KY S 180 **SPONSOR:** Givens (R)
TITLE: Alternative Certification
INTRODUCED: 02/26/2010
LAST AMEND: 03/11/2010
DISPOSITION: To Governor
LOCATION: To Governor

SUMMARY:

Relates to alternative certification for Teach for America participants; establishes an alternative teacher certification option for Teach for America participants under certain conditions; provides that this option shall be considered a pilot program and an option during the time period from the effective date of this Act until the Race to the Top funding program under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 is completed.

STATUS:

03/26/2010 3rd Reading.

03/26/2010 Passed HOUSE.

03/26/2010 Enrolled.

03/26/2010 ***** Eligible For Governor's Desk.

03/26/2010 *****To GOVERNOR.

Position: LTOppose

KY S 182 **SPONSOR:** Seum (R)
TITLE: Local School Board Vacancies
INTRODUCED: 03/02/2010
DISPOSITION: Pending
LOCATION: Senate Education Committee

SUMMARY:

Relates to local school board vacancies; provides for the establishment of a local screening committee to select nominees to fill a local school board vacancy that is composed of the chair of the local board, or vice chair if the chair is the position to be filled, the superintendent, and the president of the largest teachers' association in the district; specifies committee procedures; requires the committee to recommend three nominees to the commissioner of education.

	STATUS: 03/04/2010 Position:	To SENATE Committee on EDUCATION. LTSupport
KY S 184	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Stivers (R) Correct the Revised Statutes 03/02/2010 Pending Senate Judiciary Committee Revises and corrects the state's Revised Statutes; makes legislative findings and declarations on the nature and reasons for the changes being made; repeals and reenacts krs 38.030 to ratify and confirm the General Assembly's action in enacting 2009 hb 541 without the required enacting clause; repeals and reenact and, in some cases, amend certain statutes in krs Chapter 362, Subchapters 1 and 2, to renumber those statutes appropriately.
	STATUS: 03/04/2010 Position:	To SENATE Committee on JUDICIARY. LTTrack
KY S 188	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Shaughnessy (D) Tax Increment Financing and Declaring an Emergency 03/03/2010 Pending Senate Economic Development, Tourism and Labor Committee Relates to tax increment financing and declaring an emergency; places a moratorium on new tax increment financing agreements involving state participation; directs staff of the Legislative Research Commission to study the administration of tax increment financing agreements.
	STATUS: 03/05/2010 Position:	To SENATE Committee on ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TOURISM AND LABOR. LTSupport
KY S 201	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Stivers (R) Education 03/04/2010 Pending Senate Education Committee Relates to education; deletes reference to head teacher which is no longer a personnel designation in the public schools.
	STATUS: 03/08/2010 03/08/2010 03/08/2010 Position:	Taken from SENATE Committee on EDUCATION. 2nd Reading. Returned to SENATE Committee on EDUCATION. LTTrack
KY S 219	SPONSOR: TITLE: INTRODUCED: DISPOSITION: LOCATION: SUMMARY:	Palmer (D) Qualifications of School Board Members 03/04/2010 Pending Senate Education Committee Relates to qualifications of school board members; requires a candidate for school board to have a national and state criminal history background check by the Kentucky State Police and Federal Bureau of Investigation to confirm that the person does not have a record of a sex crime or criminal offense against a minor.
	STATUS: 03/10/2010	Taken from SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.

	03/10/2010	1st Reading.
	03/10/2010	Returned to SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.
	Position:	LTSupport
KY S 229	SPONSOR:	Winters (R)
	TITLE:	School Calendars and Declaring an Emergency
	INTRODUCED:	03/04/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Senate Education Committee
	SUMMARY:	Relates to school calendars and declaring an emergency; allows a local board of education in a district that missed 20 or more instructional days during the 2009-2010 school year to request the commissioner of education to waive the makeup of instructional days missed beyond 20 days, up to a maximum of 10 days, including waiver of makeup days beyond 20 days scheduled in the district's approved calendar; requires the commissioner to approve the request; requires all staff to make up waived days.
	STATUS:	
	03/12/2010	Taken from SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.
	03/12/2010	2nd Reading.
	03/12/2010	Returned to SENATE Committee on EDUCATION.
	Position:	LTSupport
KY SCR 151	SPONSOR:	Denton (R)
	TITLE:	Legislative Research Commission
	INTRODUCED:	02/17/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	House Education Committee
	SUMMARY:	Direct the Legislative Research Commission to study the advantages and disadvantages of reducing the case loads of speech language pathologists.
	STATUS:	
	03/26/2010	To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.
	Position:	LTSupport
KY SCR 171	SPONSOR:	Schickel (R)
	TITLE:	Legislative Research Commission
	INTRODUCED:	02/25/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	Senate Appropriations & Revenue Committee
	SUMMARY:	Require the Legislative Research Commission to direct the 2010 Interim Joint Committee on Education or the Interim Joint Committee on Appropriations and Revenue to study the funding requirements for participation in the Support Education Excellence in the state program and the current funding distribution of local and state funding which comprises basic per pupil funding among the state's 174 school districts.
	STATUS:	
	03/01/2010	To SENATE Committee on APPROPRIATIONS AND REVENUE.
	Position:	LTTrack
KY SJR 7	SPONSOR:	Williams (R)
	TITLE:	School Funding
	INTRODUCED:	01/05/2010
	LAST AMEND:	03/15/2010
	DISPOSITION:	Pending
	LOCATION:	House Education Committee
	SUMMARY:	Relates to school funding; Allows school districts to calculate the average daily attendance for the 2009-2010 school year by using the higher of the average daily attendance rate for the 2007-2008 school year or the 2008-2009 school year, multiplied by the average daily membership for the 2009-2010 school year.
	STATUS:	

03/18/2010 To HOUSE Committee on EDUCATION.
Position: LTSupport

KY SR 97 **SPONSOR:** McGaha (R)
TITLE: 2010 Career and Technical Education Month
INTRODUCED: 02/01/2010
ENACTED: 02/09/2010
DISPOSITION: Adopted
LOCATION: Adopted
SUMMARY:
Adjourns the Senate in commemoration of February as 2010 Career and Technical Education Month.
STATUS:
02/09/2010 Passed SENATE.
Position: LTSupport

KY SR 231 **SPONSOR:** Pendleton (D)
TITLE: Adjourn the Senate in Honor of Chandlers Elementary
INTRODUCED: 03/22/2010
ENACTED: 03/24/2010
DISPOSITION: Adopted
LOCATION: Adopted
SUMMARY:
Adjourn the Senate in honor of Chandler's Elementary School for being recognized as a 2010 Kentucky School to Watch.
STATUS:
03/24/2010 Passed SENATE.

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