

HB1006 CRIMINAL JUSTICE FUNDING (STEUERWALD G) Permits the department of correction to provide funding to a court for a court supervised recidivism reduction program. Provides that the Indiana judicial center shall develop and administer the program. Provides that the board of directors of the judicial conference shall promulgate rules for the program. Specifies standards for treatment funded under the program. Establishes the justice reinvestment advisory council to make a recommendation concerning the awarding of a grant. Provides that the Indiana judicial center shall award grants: (1) to assist with the establishment and maintenance of community corrections programs in each county by 2020; (2) to assist communities and counties to develop and maintain alternatives to incarceration that are needed in the applicable community or county; and (3) to reduce recidivism. Provides that the Indiana judicial center shall monitor other state programs that provide funding to programs that are alternatives to incarceration. Requires the Indiana judicial center to create reports on the program and other state funding of programs that are alternatives to incarceration. Requires the department of correction to make a monthly report to the budget committee concerning the number of persons committed to the department. Provides that after January 1, 2016, a court may not commit a person convicted of a Level 6 felony to the department of correction, with certain exceptions.

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1/15/2015 - First Reading
1/15/2015 - Coauthored by Representatives McMillin, Pierce and Lawson L
1/15/2015 - Authored By Gregory Steuerwald

HB1029 BMV DOCUMENTATION INDICATING A HANDGUN LICENSE (GUTWEIN D) Provides that an individual must indicate on an application for or a renewal of a driver's license, permit, or identification card whether the individual possesses a handgun license (license). Requires the bureau of motor vehicles (bureau) to verify whether the individual has a license by contacting the superintendent of the state police department. Requires the bureau to place a notation on the individual's driver's license, permit, or identification card that indicates that the individual possesses a license. Makes a technical correction.

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to House Roads and Transportation

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Doug Gutwein

HB1033 USE OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS DEVICES WHILE DRIVING (SMITH M) Requires a person to use hands free or voice operated technology to place or receive a telephone call while operating a moving motor vehicle unless the device is used to call 911 to report a bona fide emergency. Revises the term "telecommunications device" for purposes related to motor vehicle operation.

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to House Roads and Transportation

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Milo Smith

HB1040 **SPEED LIMIT FOR LARGER MOTOR VEHICLES** (WASHBURNE T) Provides that the maximum speed limit for a vehicle having a declared gross weight greater than 26,000 pounds operated on a highway that is: (1) on the national system of interstate and defense highways located outside an urbanized area (as defined in 23 U.S.C. 101) with a population of at least 50,000; or (2) the responsibility of the Indiana finance authority; is 70 miles per hour. (Current law provides that the speed limit for those vehicles (other than a bus) is 65 miles per hour.)

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to House Roads and Transportation

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Thomas Washburne

HB1047 **MINI-TRUCKS** (WOLKINS D) Authorizes the use of mini-trucks on Indiana roads. Requires a mini-truck that is operated on an Indiana road to be titled and registered. Prohibits the operation of a mini-truck on an interstate highway. Requires a dealer of mini-trucks to register as a dealer. Makes conforming amendments.

Current Status: 1/27/2015 - Senator Yoder added first sponsor

All Bill Status: 1/22/2015 - Representatives Cherry, Harman, and Forestal added as coauthors
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1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By David Wolkins

HB1066 **WORK SHARING UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS** (OBER D) Establishes a work sharing unemployment insurance program. Requires an employer that wishes to participate in the work sharing unemployment insurance program to submit a work sharing plan for approval by the commissioner of the department of workforce development. Establishes the work sharing benefit as equal to an affected employee's unemployment benefit reduced by a percentage that is equivalent to the number of hours by which an affected employee's normal weekly work hours are reduced divided by the employer's number of normal weekly work hours.

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Coauthored by Representatives Carbaugh and Macer

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to House Employment, Labor and Pensions
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By David Ober

HB1071 **911 FUNDING** (THOMPSON J) Authorizes the Hendricks County commissioners to adopt an ordinance establishing an emergency communications services system for a three year pilot program. Provides that the Hendricks County council may certify a special assessment on property in the county for deposit in the district's emergency communications services

fund. Specifies the purposes for which money in the fund may be spent. Provides that Hendricks County voice communications subscribers are exempt from the fees imposed under the statewide 911 system while the pilot program is in effect. Specifies that funds that remain in a fund or account established for the deposit of distributions received under the statewide 911 system are transferred to the emergency communications services funds. Makes conforming amendments.

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to House Ways and Means

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Jeffrey Thompson

HB1086 MANDATORY FIREARMS ENHANCEMENT (KIRCHHOFER C) Provides a mandatory sentencing enhancement of 20 years for a person who uses a firearm in the commission of an offense against a person.

Current Status: 1/12/2015 - Representative Hamm added as coauthor

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Cindy Kirchhofer

HB1091 STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR RAPE (HALE C) Increases the statute of limitations to ten years for: (1) rape as a Level 3 felony (for an offense committed after June 30, 2014); (2) rape as a Class B felony (for an offense committed before July 1, 2014); and criminal deviate conduct as a Class B felony (for an offense committed before July 1, 2014).

Current Status: 1/12/2015 - Representative VanNatter added as coauthor

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Christina Hale

HB1143 POSSESSION OF FIREARMS ON STATE PROPERTY (LUCAS J) Prohibits a state agency, including a state supported college or university, from regulating the possession or transportation of firearms, ammunition, or firearm accessories: (1) on land that is; or (2) in buildings and other structures that are; owned or leased by the state. Provides for certain exceptions. Voids, as of July 1, 2015, any rules or policies enacted or undertaken by a state agency before, on, or after June 30, 2015, concerning possession or transportation of firearms, ammunition, or firearm accessories on land or in structures owned or leased by the state. Allows a person to bring an action against a state agency if the person is adversely affected by a rule, a measure, an enactment, or a policy of the state agency that violates this law.

Current Status: 1/8/2015 - Coauthored by Representatives Vannatter and Eberhart

All Bill Status: 1/8/2015 - Lucas added as author
1/8/2015 - Referred to House Public Policy
1/8/2015 - First Reading
1/8/2015 - Authored By Jim Lucas

HB1144 HANDGUN LICENSE REPEAL (LUCAS J) Repeals the law that requires a person to obtain a license to carry a handgun in Indiana. Makes conforming amendments.

Current Status: 1/8/2015 - Coauthored by Representatives Judy, VanNatter and Ober

All Bill Status: 1/8/2015 - Referred to House Public Policy
1/8/2015 - First Reading
1/8/2015 - Authored By Jim Lucas

1/7/2015 - Coauthored by Representatives Judy, VanNatter and Ober

HB1150 **1977 POLICE OFFICERS' AND FIREFIGHTERS' FUND** (MACER K) Makes changes to the 1977 police officers' and firefighters' pension and disability fund to include police officers in several sections of the statute that may logically apply to police officers as well as firefighters. (The introduced version of this bill was prepared by the interim study committee on pension management oversight.)

Current Status: 1/27/2015 - Senator Boots added first sponsor

All Bill Status: 1/27/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 33: yeas 96, nays 0

1/27/2015 - House Bills on Third Reading

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1/26/2015 - House Bills on Second Reading

1/22/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted

1/21/2015 - House Employment, Labor and Pensions, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)

1/15/2015 - Representatives Ober and Carbaugh added as coauthor

1/15/2015 - Ober, and Carbaugh added as coauthor

1/8/2015 - Coauthored by Representative Burton

1/8/2015 - Referred to House Employment, Labor and Pensions

1/8/2015 - First Reading

1/8/2015 - Authored By Karlee Macer

HB1161 **IMMUNITY FOR DAMAGE CAUSED RESCUING A CHILD** (GIAQUINTA P) Grants civil immunity to a person who forcibly enters a locked motor vehicle for the purpose of rescuing a child. Does not extend civil immunity to acts involving gross negligence or willful and wanton misconduct.

Current Status: 2/23/2015 - House Bills on Third Reading

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2/19/2015 - House Bills on Second Reading

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2/16/2015 - Representatives Steuerwald, McMillin and Smith, V. added as coauthor

2/16/2015 - House Judiciary, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)

1/12/2015 - Referred to House Judiciary

1/12/2015 - First Reading

1/12/2015 - Authored By Philip GiaQuinta

HB1181 **INDUSTRIAL HEMP** (LEHE D) Provides that the marketing of industrial hemp is authorized in Indiana, subject to the state seed commissioner securing any needed federal permissions or waivers. Allows the seed commissioner to determine certain information is confidential business information. Provides that the exemption of industrial hemp from the definition of "marijuana" includes the fiber, seeds, resin, and oil or any other compound extracted, derived, manufactured, or prepared from any part of an industrial hemp plant. Provides that industrial hemp substances are exempt from certain criminal laws when the substances are part of certain medical treatments. Establishes the industrial hemp use work group to study certain issues and report to the interim study committee on agriculture and natural resources.

Current Status: 2/17/2015 - Referred to the Senate

All Bill Status: 2/16/2015 - Senator Leising added as sponsor

2/16/2015 - Senator Grooms added as second sponsor
2/16/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 136: yeas 96, nays 0
2/16/2015 - House Bills on Third Reading
2/12/2015 - Second reading amended, ordered engrossed
2/12/2015 - Amendment #2 (Lehe) prevailed; voice vote
2/12/2015 - House Bills on Second Reading
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2/9/2015 - House Bills on Second Reading
2/5/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/5/2015 - House Agriculture and Rural Development, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/12/2015 - Coauthored by Representatives Friend, Klinker and Gutwein
1/12/2015 - Referred to House Agriculture and Rural Development
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Don Lehe

HB1197 **FIRST RESPONDER TACTICAL TRAINING (MCNAMARA W)** Requires the department of homeland security (department) to develop core curriculum requirements and standards for tactical emergency casualty care training programs (TECC programs) for: full-time firefighters, law enforcement officers, emergency medical technicians, advanced emergency medical technicians, and paramedics (first responders). Requires first responders to successfully complete an eight hour basic level TECC program conducted: (1) as part of the first responder's basic training, if basic training is completed after December 31, 2017; or (2) before July 1, 2020, if the officer completes basic training before January 1, 2018. Allows the department to accredit the TECC programs of certain third parties and the TECC programs of third parties that meet the department's core curriculum requirements and standards. Requires the department to develop core curriculum requirements and standards for programs to instruct individuals on becoming a TECC program trainer (trainer programs). Requires the department to consult and cooperate with the law enforcement training board and the emergency medical services commission to develop core curriculum requirements and standards for TECC programs and trainer programs. Allows the department to consult, cooperate, or contract with certain colleges or universities, or other individuals or entities, for the development of TECC programs and trainer programs.

Current Status: 2/23/2015 - House Bills on Third Reading

All Bill Status: 2/19/2015 - Second reading amended, ordered engrossed
2/19/2015 - Amendment #1 (Price) prevailed; voice vote
2/19/2015 - House Bills on Second Reading
2/17/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/17/2015 - House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
2/12/2015 - Representative Macer added as coauthor
1/27/2015 - House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/12/2015 - Coauthored by Representatives Bacon and Zent
1/12/2015 - Referred to House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Wendy McNamara

HB1199 **TECC TRAINER PROGRAMS (MCNAMARA W)** Requires the department of homeland security (department) to develop core curriculum requirements and standards for an 80

hour tactical emergency casualty care (TECC) trainer program, not later than July 1, 2015. Requires the department to develop an 80 hour trainer program based upon the core curriculum requirements and standards, not later than January 1, 2016. Allows the department to approve 80 hour trainer programs developed by third parties that substantially meet the core curriculum requirements and standards developed by the department. Requires the department to consult and cooperate with the law enforcement training board and the emergency medical services commission to develop core curriculum requirements and standards for trainer programs. Allows the department to consult, cooperate, or contract with certain colleges or universities, or other individuals or entities, for the development of trainer programs.

Current Status: 1/13/2015 - Coauthored by Representatives Zent and Bacon

All Bill Status: 1/13/2015 - Referred to House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety
1/13/2015 - First Reading
1/13/2015 - Authored By Wendy McNamara

HB1202 COUNTY PUBLIC SAFETY FEES AND FUNDS (ARNOLD L) Allows a county legislative body to adopt an ordinance to require a defendant convicted in a criminal action in a court located in the county to pay a county public safety fee. Provides that the amount of the fee: (1) is set by the court in an amount of at least \$50 and not more than \$200; and (2) is based on the defendant's ability to pay the fee. Provides that fees collected by court clerks are deposited in county public safety funds established in those counties that adopt a county public safety fee ordinance. Specifies that county public safety funds may be used only to provide funding for certain public safety programs and activities, including law enforcement systems, firefighting systems, emergency medical services systems, probation departments, community corrections programs, detention facilities, and medical and health expenses for jail inmates.

Current Status: 1/13/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code

All Bill Status: 1/13/2015 - First Reading
1/13/2015 - Authored By Lloyd Arnold

HB1216 MISSING CHILDREN AND TRAFFICKED CHILDREN (TRUITT R) Requires the superintendent of the state police department to: (1) provide a written informational pamphlet that includes information concerning the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children and the National Runaway Safeline; and (2) distribute the pamphlet to every law enforcement agency. Requires a law enforcement agency to provide the pamphlet to a person making a report of a missing child at the time the person makes the report. Provides a defense to the crime of prostitution if the person was a child who was a victim or alleged victim of human or sexual trafficking at the time the person engaged in the prohibited conduct. Requires a law enforcement agency to immediately contact the department of child services if the law enforcement agency detains an alleged victim of human or sexual trafficking who is less than 18 years of age.

Current Status: 1/27/2015 - Representatives Richardson, Behning, Saunders, Mayfield, VanNatter, Olthoff, Sullivan, Karickhoff, Price, Clere, Hamm, Smith, M., Friend, Frye, Goodin, Moseley, Riecken, Niezgodski, Lucas, McNamara, Porter and Fine added as coauthors

All Bill Status: 1/27/2015 - Representatives Cox, DeVon, Ziemke, Bacon, Frizzell, Hale, Summers, Lawson, Austin, Morris and Forestal added as coauthors
1/27/2015 - Representative Hershman added as cosponsor
1/27/2015 - Representative Richardson, Behning, Saunders, Mayfield, VanNatter, Olthoff, Sullivan, Karickhoff, Price, Clere,

Hamm, Smith, M., Friend, Frye, Goodin, Moseley, Riecken, Niezgodski, Lucas, McNamara, Porter and Fine added as coauthor
1/27/2015 - Representative Cox, DeVon, Ziemke, Bacon, Frizzell, Hale, Summers, Lawson, Austin, Morris and Forestal added as coauthor
1/27/2015 - Hershman added as cosponsor
1/27/2015 - Senator Alting added third sponsor
1/27/2015 - Senator Head added first sponsor
1/27/2015 - Senator Houchin added second sponsor
1/27/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 36: yeas 98, nays 0
1/27/2015 - House Bills on Third Reading
1/26/2015 - Representatives Wright, Klinker and Mahan added as coauthors
1/26/2015 - Amendment #1 (Truitt) prevailed; voice vote
1/26/2015 - Representative Wright, Klinker and Mahan added as coauthor
1/26/2015 - Second reading amended, ordered engrossed
1/26/2015 - Amendment #1 (Truitt), prevailed voice vote
1/26/2015 - House Bills on Second Reading
1/22/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted
1/21/2015 - House Family, Children and Human Affairs, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/13/2015 - Referred to House Family, Children and Human Affairs
1/13/2015 - First Reading
1/13/2015 - Authored By Randy Truitt

HB1225 PUBLIC RECORDS REQUESTS FOR POLICE VIDEO (PRICE J) Urges the legislative council to assign to a study committee during the 2015 legislative interim the topic of public records requests for police body camera video.

Current Status: 1/13/2015 - Coauthored by Representative Riecken

All Bill Status: 1/13/2015 - Referred to House Rules and Legislative Procedures
1/13/2015 - First Reading
1/13/2015 - Authored By John Price

HB1242 RESERVE OFFICER TRAINING (LEONARD D) Requires police reserve officers to complete mandatory inservice training: (1) in interacting with persons with mental illness, addictive disorders, mental retardation, autism, developmental disabilities, and Alzheimer's disease or related senile dementia; and (2) concerning human and sexual trafficking and high risk missing persons. Changes the term "mental retardation" to "intellectual disability".

Current Status: 1/27/2015 - Senator Banks A added first sponsor

All Bill Status: 1/27/2015 - Senator Holdman added second sponsor
1/26/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 24: yeas 95, nays 0
1/26/2015 - House Bills on Third Reading
1/22/2015 - Amendment #1 (Leonard) prevailed; voice vote
1/22/2015 - Representatives Macer, Lawson, and Zent added as coauthors
1/22/2015 - Second reading amended, ordered engrossed
1/22/2015 - Amendment #1 (Leonard), prevailed voice vote
1/22/2015 - House Bills on Second Reading
1/22/2015 - House Bills on Second Reading

1/20/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted
1/20/2015 - House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/13/2015 - Referred to House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety
1/13/2015 - First Reading
1/13/2015 - Authored By Daniel Leonard

HB1244 FIREARMS ON BUSINESS PREMISES (LUCAS J) Permits a person to bring an action for damages against a business entity having a policy of barring possession of a firearm on the entity's property, if: (1) the person suffers a loss due to criminal activity on the entity's property; and (2) the loss could have been avoided or reduced if the business entity did not prohibit possession of a firearm on its property. Provides that a person who does not prohibit: (1) an individual from possessing a firearm on the person's property; or (2) the person's employees from possessing a firearm while the employees are acting within the scope of their employment; is immune from civil liability with respect to any claim based on the person's failure to adopt such a policy.

Current Status: 1/13/2015 - Coauthored by Representative VanNatter

All Bill Status: 1/13/2015 - Referred to House Public Policy
1/13/2015 - First Reading
1/13/2015 - Authored By Jim Lucas

HB1246 POLICE PENSION EXEMPTION (HARMAN T) Provides that an individual's Indiana adjusted gross income excludes income that is attributable to a pension or other benefit received from the 1925 police pension fund.

Current Status: 1/13/2015 - Referred to House Ways and Means

All Bill Status: 1/13/2015 - First Reading
1/13/2015 - Authored By Timothy Harman

HB1284 RACIAL PROFILING (PRYOR C) Prohibits a law enforcement agency or officer from engaging in racial profiling or conducting pretextual stops. Requires a law enforcement agency to adopt a detailed policy that defines the elements of racial profiling and pretextual stops, and requires a law enforcement agency to collect certain data relating to stops made by law enforcement officers. Requires cultural diversity awareness training and training on unlawful racial profiling and pretextual stops as a part of the mandatory training for law enforcement officers. Specifies that a law enforcement agency shall transmit to the attorney general information concerning racial profiling complaints, investigations, and any action taken, as well as data collected relating to stops made by the law enforcement agency. Requires the attorney general to submit an annual report to the legislative council based on this information, to submit the data to a third party for statistical analysis, and to publish the results of the analysis on the attorney general's Internet web site. Establishes the racial profiling review commission to review complaints of unlawful racial profiling and unlawful pretextual stops. Permits a person to bring a civil action based on unlawful racial profiling and unlawful pretextual stops. Permits a law enforcement agency to use certain federal funds to purchase vehicle cameras and body cameras, and establishes training standards and standards for use.

Current Status: 1/13/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code

All Bill Status: 1/13/2015 - First Reading
1/13/2015 - Authored By Pryor, Cherrish

HB1363 ORGANIZED RETAIL THEFT (STEUERWALD G) Makes it organized retail theft, a Level 5 felony, for a person: (1) to knowingly: (A) take, procure, receive, conceal, or otherwise

exercise control over the personal property of a retail merchant; or (B) use an artifice, an instrument, a container, a device, or another article to facilitate taking, procuring, receiving, concealing, or exercising control over the personal property of a retail merchant; without the consent of the retail merchant or without paying the appropriate consideration for the personal property; and (2) with the intent to sell, deliver, or distribute the personal property to another person. Allows property with a retail or repurchase value of at least \$100 that is stolen during the commission of the crime of organized retail theft to be seized and forfeited under the law concerning forfeiture of property used in violation of certain criminal statutes. Allows a victim of the crime of organized retail theft to receive treble damages in a civil action concerning the crime. Adds organized retail theft to the list of crimes considered racketeering activity under the law concerning racketeer influenced and corrupt organizations.

Current Status: 1/14/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code

All Bill Status: 1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Gregory Steuerwald

HB1382 **EPHEDRINE AND PSEUDOEPHEDRINE** (RIECKEN G) Provides that materials, compounds, mixtures, or preparations that contain ephedrine or pseudoephedrine are schedule III controlled substances that may be dispensed only by prescription. Repeals: (1) the law concerning the sale of drugs that contain ephedrine and pseudoephedrine without a prescription; and (2) provisions related to that law.

Current Status: 1/14/2015 - Referred to House Public Health

All Bill Status: 1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Gail Riecken

HB1390 **EPHEDRINE AND PSEUDOEPHEDRINE** (MCNAMARA W) Changes the amounts of drugs containing ephedrine or pseudoephedrine that a pharmacy or National Precursor Log Exchange (NPLEx) retailer may sell and that a person may purchase without a prescription. Provides that a person who purchases the statutory maximum amount of over-the-counter drugs containing ephedrine or pseudoephedrine may obtain additional drugs containing ephedrine or pseudoephedrine with a valid prescription or order of a practitioner.

Current Status: 1/14/2015 - Coauthored by Representatives Macer and Smaltz

All Bill Status: 1/14/2015 - Referred to House Public Health
1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Wendy McNamara

HB1393 **VARIOUS MOTOR VEHICLE MATTERS** (SOLIDAY E) Amends various title, registration, and driver's license requirements and taxing of vehicles. Provides that a partial services provider may impose, collect, and retain a convenience fee, subject to the approval of the bureau of motor vehicles commission. Requires the bureau of motor vehicles (bureau) to have an annual internal audit. Revises requirements for requests by the bureau for evidence of financial responsibility following an accident or a judgment or conviction for a violation of a motor vehicle law. Establishes administrative review procedures for claims of material error by the bureau. Provides that a motorcycle may be equipped with a steering wheel. Repeals various provisions concerning: (1) commercial driver's licenses; (2) obsolete fees; (3) division of safety responsibility and driver improvement; (4) appeal of denial or revocation of hazardous materials endorsement; and (5) suspension of driving privileges. Repeals chapters concerning the following license plates: (1) Yard tractor repair. (2) Drug free Indiana trust. (3) Indiana food bank trust. (4) Indiana girl scouts trust. (5) Indiana retired armed forces member. (6) Indiana antique car museum trust. (7) Indiana mental health trust. Voids obsolete rules.

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2/18/2015 - House Roads and Transportation, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
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2/9/2015 - Representative Negele added as coauthor
1/14/2015 - Referred to House Roads and Transportation
1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Edmond Soliday

HB1395 STATEWIDE 911 SERVICES (SOLIDAY E) Provides that a majority of members of a local public safety communications commission that collects and processes criminal justice information must represent criminal justice agencies. Provides that the executive director of the department of homeland security serves as the chairperson of the statewide 911 board. (Current law provides that the treasurer of state serves as chairperson of the board.) Increases the statewide 911 fee for a standard user from \$0.90 to \$1. Provides that an interlocal agreement for the operation of a PSAP must be amended not later than December 31, 2015, to require a political subdivision that is a party to the interlocal agreement to pay for at least 50% of the costs associated with dispatching emergency services to respond to 911 calls that originate within the political subdivision. Extends the sunset of the statewide 911 fee from June 30, 2015, to June 30, 2020. Makes a technical correction.

Current Status: 2/10/2015 - House Ways and Means, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
All Bill Status: 1/27/2015 - Reassigned to committee on Ways and Means
1/14/2015 - Referred to House Government and Regulatory Reform
1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Edmond Soliday

HB1410 TELECOMMUNICATIONS DEVICES WHILE DRIVING (FORESTAL D) Provides that a person may not use a telecommunications device while operating a moving motor vehicle, with certain exceptions.

Current Status: 1/14/2015 - Referred to House Roads and Transportation
All Bill Status: 1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Dan Forestal

HB1415 TRANSFERS OF SURPLUS MILITARY EQUIPMENT (SPEEDY M) Prohibits certain law enforcement agencies from receiving firearms, ammunition, and armored military vehicles under a surplus military equipment program of the federal government.

Current Status: 1/14/2015 - Referred to House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety
All Bill Status: 1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Mike Speedy

HB1430 CRIMINAL ENHANCEMENTS FOR USING FIREARMS IN CRIMES (LUCAS J) Permits a court to impose: (1) an additional fixed term of five to 20 years if a person uses a firearm in the commission of a felony; (2) an additional fixed term of up to 20 years if a person possesses a firearm while committing any offense; and (3) a subsequent additional fixed

term of five years if the firearm is stolen. Specifies that a court may not impose two sentencing enhancements for possessing and using a firearm, but that the court may impose an additional enhancement if the firearm is stolen. Provides that the sentencing enhancements are nonsuspendible. Repeals an overlapping firearms enhancement provision.

Current Status: 1/14/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code

All Bill Status: 1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Jim Lucas

HB1461 **1977 FUND SURVIVING SPOUSE BENEFIT** (KERSEY C) Increases from 60% to 100% of the member's monthly benefit the monthly benefit of a surviving spouse of an individual who: (1) is a member of the 1977 Police Officers' and Firefighters' Pension and Disability Fund (1977 Fund); and (2) dies other than in the line of duty after June 30, 2015.

Current Status: 1/14/2015 - Referred to House Employment, Labor and Pensions

All Bill Status: 1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Clyde Kersey

HB1475 **STATEWIDE 911 SYSTEM** (KARICKHOFF M) Removes the requirement that a county council (for a county adjusted gross income tax) or a county income tax council (for a local option income tax) must impose certain additional tax rates as a condition of imposing an additional tax rate for public safety. Provides that a county income tax council (in the case of a local income tax for public safety) or a county council (in the case of a county adjusted gross income tax) may adopt a resolution to distribute up to 100% of the tax revenue to a public safety answering point (PSAP) that is part of the statewide 911 system. Authorizes the fiscal bodies of a county and another political subdivision that are parties to a contract under which the county has assumed the responsibility of operating a PSAP to jointly petition the department of local government finance to adjust the maximum permissible ad valorem property tax levies of the respective units. Increases the statewide 911 fee: (1) for a prepaid user from \$0.50 to \$1; and (2) for a standard user from \$0.90 to \$1. Authorizes the statewide 911 board (board) to audit wireless telecommunications service providers on an annual basis to determine compliance with statewide 911 laws. Beginning with the 2016 fiscal year, requires the statewide 911 board to ensure a distribution of statewide 911 fees to each county in an amount equal to the amount distributed to the county in the 2014 fiscal year. Requires PSAPs to provide an annual report to the board concerning dispatch costs and funding. Requires the board to forward the report to the general assembly. Requires the budget committee to review the statewide 911 system and report its findings to the legislative council in 2015 and 2020. Extends the sunset of the statewide 911 fee from June 30, 2015, to June 30, 2020. Makes technical corrections.

Current Status: 2/23/2015 - House Bills on Second Reading

All Bill Status: 2/19/2015 - Representative Thompson added as coauthor
2/19/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/18/2015 - House Ways and Means, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
2/10/2015 - House Ways and Means, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
2/2/2015 - Representatives Austin and Frye added as coauthor
1/14/2015 - Referred to House Ways and Means
1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Michael Karickhoff

HB1490 **POLICE RESERVE OFFICERS** (MAYFIELD P) Provides that town police reserve officers are eligible for a line of duty death benefit from the special death benefit fund. Provides

that a county, city, or town shall furnish without charge to a police reserve officer (officer) who is injured or contracts an illness in the course of or as the result of performing duties as an officer all necessary physician, surgical, hospital, and nursing services and supplies and that this obligation supersedes any obligations that another medical insurance carrier has to pay the officer's medical expenses. Provides that a county, city, or town may provide to an officer who is unable to pursue the officer's usual vocation as the result of an injury or illness occurring in the course of or as the result of the performance of duties as an officer a weekly amount equal to the Indiana minimum wage computed on the basis of a 40 hour work week for a maximum of 260 weeks. Provides that a county, city, or town may meet its obligations by purchasing policies of group insurance, establishing a plan of self-insurance, or participating in the medical treatment and burial expense provisions of the worker's compensation and occupational diseases law. Provides that, if a unit elects not to provide a lost income benefit, the unit shall annually provide a written notice to each officer in the unit that the unit does not provide a benefit and obtain from each officer in the unit a written acknowledgment that the officer has received the notice.

Current Status: 2/2/2015 - Representative Klinker added as coauthor

All Bill Status: 1/27/2015 - House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)

1/15/2015 - Representative Arnold added as coauthor

1/15/2015 - Arnold added as coauthor

1/14/2015 - Coauthored by Representative Lawson L

1/14/2015 - Referred to House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety

1/14/2015 - First Reading

1/14/2015 - Authored By Peggy Mayfield

HB1503 **COLORS OF LIGHTS ON VEHICLES** (VANNATTER H) Prohibits a person from operating a vehicle with a lamp, light, reflector, or a lighting device, in: (1) a color of amber, red, white, or yellow; or (2) a shade of color between white and amber or red and amber; (3) blue; or (4) green; other than in specific circumstances.

Current Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to House Roads and Transportation

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - First Reading

1/20/2015 - Authored By Heath VanNatter

HB1525 **RESIDENCE OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS** (BROWN C) Requires municipal police officers to reside within the municipality that they serve. Creates exceptions for state and county police officers. Provides that police officers residing outside a city or town before the adoption of a residency ordinance are exempt from the residency ordinance.

Current Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - First Reading

1/20/2015 - Authored By Charlie Brown

HB1533 **RAPE ISSUES** (HALE C) Provides that a person commits rape if the person engages in sexual activity without the affirmative, conscious, and voluntary agreement to engage in the sexual activity. Increases the minimum sentence for rape as a Level 3 felony to six years. Permits, for purposes of the public records law, a law enforcement agency to share certain information with a crime victim advocate without the agency losing the discretion to keep this information confidential from other persons requesting records.

Current Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - First Reading

1/20/2015 - Authored By Christina Hale

HB1553 REPORTING EPHEDRINE TO INSPECT DRUG MONITORING PROGRAM (DAVISSON S) Requires that when a prescription for ephedrine or pseudoephedrine products is dispensed, a dispenser transmit specified information to the Indiana scheduled prescription electronic collection and tracking (INSPECT) program.

Current Status: 1/27/2015 - Representative Smaltz and Moed added as coauthor

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to House Public Health

1/20/2015 - First Reading

1/20/2015 - Authored By Steven Davisson

HB1563 REPORTING OF METHAMPHETAMINE OFFENSES (WASHBURNE T) Requires courts to report methamphetamine related convictions to the state police department. Requires the state police department to report methamphetamine related convictions to the National Association of Drug Diversion Investigators so that stop sale alerts may be issued through the National Precursor Log Exchange to prevent individuals with methamphetamine related convictions from purchasing ephedrine or pseudoephedrine.

Current Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - First Reading

1/20/2015 - Authored By Thomas Washburne

HB1584 SELF-DEFENSE AND DEFENSE OF THIRD PERSONS (PORTER G) Specifies that a person is justified in using deadly force only if the person reasonably believes that force is necessary to prevent: (1) serious bodily injury to the person or a third person; or (2) the commission of a forcible felony. Specifies that a person is justified in using reasonable force, including deadly force, against another person if the person reasonably believes that the force is necessary to prevent or terminate the other person's: (1) unlawful entry of; or (2) attack on; the person's dwelling, curtilage, or occupied motor vehicle. Removes a provision that states a person does not have a duty to retreat before using deadly force.

Current Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - First Reading

1/20/2015 - Authored By Gregory Porter

HB1585 POLICE EQUIPMENT (PORTER G) Requires all patrol officers in Indiana to be equipped while on duty with a firearm, a nightstick, a taser, and mace by July 1, 2016. Allows for exceptions. Requires the Indiana criminal justice institute to identify grants and other funds that may be used to finance the purchase of required patrol officer equipment.

Current Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - First Reading

1/20/2015 - Authored By Gregory Porter

HB1596 SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER TRAINING (LAWSON L) Requires all law enforcement training academies to include instruction on youth and adolescent development, age appropriate interactions, and deescalation techniques as part of basic training curriculums. Requires that specialized training requirements for school resource officers include instruction on youth and adolescent development, criminal conduct, criminal prosecution, abuse and neglect, conflict resolution, deescalation techniques, learning disabilities, emotional issues, behavioral issues, and rehabilitative social services or resources.

Current Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - First Reading

1/20/2015 - Coauthored by Representative Mahan

1/20/2015 - Authored By Linda Lawson

HB1597 **SEXUAL MISCONDUCT WITH A MINOR** (LAWSON L) Removes the defense to the crime of sexual misconduct with a minor that the accused person reasonably believed that the child was at least 16 years of age at the time of the conduct.

Current Status: 1/20/2015 - Coauthored by Representative McNamara

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code
1/20/2015 - First Reading
1/20/2015 - Authored By Linda Lawson

HB1602 **METHAMPHETAMINE** (SMALTZ B) Makes: (1) dealing in methamphetamine a Level 4 felony instead of a Level 5 felony; and (2) possession of methamphetamine a Level 5 felony instead of a Level 6 felony; if the person who committed the felony has a prior conviction for dealing in certain controlled substances, the person committed the felony while in possession of a firearm, the person committed the felony in, on, or within 1,000 feet of school property or a public park while a person under 18 years of age was reasonably expected to be present, the person who committed the felony delivered or financed the delivery of the drug to a person under 18 years of age and at least three years junior to the person, the person who committed the felony manufactured or financed the manufacture of the drug, or the person committed the offense in the physical presence of a child less than 18 years of age, knowing that the child was present and might be able to see or hear the offense. Makes materials, compounds, mixtures, and preparations that contain ephedrine or pseudoephedrine schedule IV controlled substances subject to being dispensed only by a prescription until July 1, 2018. Provides that a drug containing ephedrine or pseudoephedrine may be sold by a pharmacy or NPLEx retailer to an individual without a prescription during any 365 day period if the individual has obtained drugs that contain not more than 9.6 grams of ephedrine or pseudoephedrine, or both, during the 365 day period. Prohibits a person from purchasing drugs containing more than 9.6 grams of ephedrine or pseudoephedrine, or both, in a 365 day period without a prescription. Provides that, after June 30, 2016, a pharmacy or NPLEx retailer may not sell a drug that contains the active ingredient of ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, or both, under this section unless the individual package that contains the drug has a unique serial number or other identifying code printed on the individual package by the manufacturer of the individual package. Makes possessing paraphernalia a Level 6 felony instead of a Class A misdemeanor if the person who committed the offense was in possession of methamphetamine or a chemical reagent or precursor while committing the offense. Provides that a person who: (1) has been convicted of possessing paraphernalia as a Level 6 felony because the person was in possession of methamphetamine or a chemical reagent or precursor while committing the offense; and (2) not later than seven years from the date the person was sentenced for the offense; knowingly or intentionally possesses ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, or phenylpropanolamine, pure or adulterated, commits possession of a precursor by a methamphetamine offender, a Level 6 felony. Makes conforming amendments.

Current Status: 1/20/2015 - Coauthored by Representatives Arnold L, McNamara and Ober

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to House Courts and Criminal Code
1/20/2015 - First Reading
1/20/2015 - Authored By Ben Smaltz

HB1621 **BLUE EMERGENCY VEHICLES** (FRYE R) Requires authorized emergency vehicles to be equipped with signal lamps that are capable of displaying flashing, rotating, or oscillating beams of red or red and white light; red and blue light; or red, white, and blue light.

Current Status: 1/22/2015 - Coauthored by Representative Thompson

All Bill Status: 1/22/2015 - Referred to House Roads and Transportation

1/22/2015 - First Reading
1/22/2015 - Authored By Randall Frye

HB1630 EMPLOYMENT OF VETERANS AS PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS (MORRIS R) Waives the maximum hiring age restrictions that apply to the appointment and hiring of police officers and firefighters for an individual who is a veteran of the armed forces and who meets certain requirements. Provides that an individual who is appointed as a police officer or a firefighter as the result of a waiver is not eligible to become a member of the 1977 police officers' and firefighters' pension and disability fund.

Current Status: 1/22/2015 - Coauthored by Representative Lucas

All Bill Status: 1/22/2015 - Representative Lucas added as coauthor
1/22/2015 - Referred to House Veterans Affairs and Public Safety
1/22/2015 - First Reading
1/22/2015 - Authored By Robert Morris

HB1634 REGULATION OF KNIVES BY POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS (MAYFIELD P) Prohibits political subdivisions, with certain exceptions, from: (1) regulating the possession, carrying, transportation, sale, purchase, transfer, licensing, registration, or use of a knife or the components used to make a knife; and (2) adopting an ordinance, a rule, or a policy concerning the manufacturing of knives that is more restrictive than an ordinance, a rule, or a policy concerning the manufacturing of any other commercial goods. Allows school corporations to adopt rules or regulations that prohibit a person from possessing a knife in a school building. Voids any provision of an ordinance, a rule, a policy, or any other regulation of a political subdivision: (1) that pertains to or affects the regulation of knives; and (2) that is enacted, adopted, or undertaken before, on, or after July 1, 2015; except for rules or regulations of a school corporation that prohibit a person from possessing a knife in a school building.

Current Status: 1/22/2015 - Referred to House Public Policy

All Bill Status: 1/22/2015 - First Reading
1/22/2015 - Authored By Peggy Mayfield

SB6 POWDERED OR CRYSTALLINE ALCOHOL PROHIBITED (ALTING R) Makes it a Class B infraction to possess, purchase, sell, offer to sell, or use powdered or crystalline alcohol. Establishes exceptions.

Current Status: 2/19/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted

All Bill Status: 2/19/2015 - Senator Ford added as third author
2/19/2015 - Senator Merritt added as second author
2/18/2015 - Senate Public Policy, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
2/2/2015 - Pursuant to Senate Rule 68(b) reassigned to committee on Public Policy
1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Ron Alting

SB35 SPEED LIMITS IN SCHOOL ZONES (BOOTS P) Provides that a city, town, or county may establish a speed limit of not less than 20 miles per hour on a street or highway upon which a school is located if the street or highway is under the jurisdiction of the city, town, or county. (Current law provides that the speed limit may not be less than 30 miles per hour outside an urban district.) Removes outdated language.

Current Status: 2/16/2015 - Referred to House

All Bill Status: 2/9/2015 - Representative Schaibley added as sponsor

2/9/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 105: yeas 40, nays 9
2/9/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/5/2015 - Senator Arnold added as second author
2/5/2015 - Senator Randolph added as coauthor
2/5/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed
2/5/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/3/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted
2/3/2015 - Senate Homeland Security & Transportation, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Homeland Security & Transportation
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Philip Boots

SB37 **POSSESSION OF PARAPHERNALIA** (BRAY R) Excludes possession of rolling papers and raw materials from the crime of possession of paraphernalia, and removes possession of paraphernalia as an infraction. Makes the knowing or intentional possession of paraphernalia a Class C misdemeanor, and increases the penalty to a Class A misdemeanor if the person has a prior unrelated judgment or conviction. Makes it a Level 6 felony to possess a hypodermic needle with intent to commit a controlled substance offense. (Under current law, the offense only applies if committed with intent to violate the legend drug act). Specifies that the sentencing enhancement that applies to the legend drug act also applies to the new offense.

Current Status: 1/22/2015 - Representative McNamara added as sponsor
All Bill Status: 1/22/2015 - Representative McNamara added first Senate sponsor
1/22/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 17: yeas 49, nays 0
1/22/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
1/20/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed
1/20/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
1/15/2015 - Senator Tomes added as second author
1/15/2015 - Senator Tallian added as coauthor
1/15/2015 - Tallian added as coauthor
1/14/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
1/13/2015 - Senate Corrections & Criminal Law, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Rodric Bray

SB46 **SELF DEFENSE** (BREAUX J) Specifies that a person is not justified in using force against another person if the person using force: (1) is the initial aggressor; (2) has reached a place of safety after escaping an attack and immediately returns to the location of the attack (unless the location is the person's property or residence); or (3) is pursuing an attacker or trespasser who has retreated and no longer presents a threat to the person.

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law
All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Jean Breaux

SB48 **HANDGUN TRAINING** (BREAUX J) Requires a person who applies after December 31, 2015, for a license to carry a handgun to first complete an eight hour handgun safety and training program.

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Judiciary

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Jean Breaux

SB51 **PAYMENT OF MONTHLY PENSION BENEFITS (YOUNG R)** Provides that members and beneficiaries of any public pension fund administered by the Indiana public retirement system may receive monthly benefits only by direct deposit or another method approved by the board of trustees of the Indiana public retirement system. Repeals a similar but more narrowly applicable section concerning methods of paying monthly benefits to members and beneficiaries of the public employees' retirement fund and the teachers' retirement fund.

Current Status: 1/27/2015 - Senator Broden added as coauthor

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to Committee on Pensions and Labor
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By R Michael Young

SB105 **EXPUNGEMENT (STEELE B)** Provides that expungement provisions concerning an arrest that does not lead to a conviction also apply to criminal charges or juvenile allegations that do not lead to a conviction. Provides that a person who files for the expungement of an arrest, criminal charge, or juvenile allegation that did not lead to a conviction is not required to pay a filing fee. Specifies that a person who files a petition for expungement may not be required to pay a filing fee. Removes a requirement that bureau of motor vehicles records must be certified.

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Judiciary

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Brent Steele

SB193 **NORTHWEST INDIANA LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY (ARNOLD J)** Designates the Northwest Indiana Law Enforcement Academy as a criminal justice agency, and specifies that it is a board certified training center. Defines the powers and duties of its board of directors.

Current Status: 2/3/2015 - Referred to House

All Bill Status: 1/22/2015 - Senator Charbonneau removed as third author
1/22/2015 - Representative Lawson added as sponsor
1/22/2015 - Senator Rogers added as third author
1/22/2015 - Senator Charbonneau added as second author
1/22/2015 - Senator Charbonneau removed as second author
1/22/2015 - Senator Rogers removed as second author
1/22/2015 - Representatives Mahan, and Dermody added as cosponsors
1/22/2015 - Representative Lawson added first Senate sponsor
1/22/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 23: yeas 48, nays 1
1/22/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
1/20/2015 - Senator Randolph added as coauthor
1/20/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed
1/20/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
1/15/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
1/13/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted
1/13/2015 - Senate Homeland Security & Transportation, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/8/2015 - Senator Niemeyer added as coauthor

1/8/2015 - Senator Charbonneau added as third author
1/8/2015 - Senator Rogers added as second author
1/8/2015 - Senator Yoder added as coauthor
1/8/2015 - Sen. Niemeyer added as coauthor
1/8/2015 - Sen. Charbonneau added as third author
1/8/2015 - Sen. Rogers added as second author
1/8/2015 - Sen. Yoder added as coauthor
1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Homeland Security & Transportation
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By James Arnold

SB204 **USE OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS DEVICES WHILE DRIVING** (MILLER P) Requires a person to use hands free or voice operated technology to place or receive a telephone call while operating a moving motor vehicle, unless the device is used to call 911 to report a bona fide emergency. Revises the term "telecommunications device" for purposes related to motor vehicle operation.

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Homeland Security & Transportation

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Pete Miller

SB215 **DISGUISED FIREARMS** (ARNOLD J) Makes it a Class A misdemeanor to possess a firearm modified to resemble a toy firearm, and increases the penalty to a Level 6 felony if the person possesses the modified firearm while committing a crime.

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By James Arnold

SB223 **RAPE PENALTY** (CRIDER M) Increases the penalty for rape without an enhancement to a Level 2 felony.

Current Status: 1/14/2015 - Withdrawn

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Michael Crider

SB224 **DISGUISED FIREARMS** (CRIDER M) Defines "safety indicator" as a device or coloration designed to indicate that a toy firearm or realistic imitation firearm is not a genuine firearm. Makes it a Class C infraction to remove a safety indicator and openly carry a toy firearm or realistic imitation firearm in public. Permits a realistic imitation firearm to be used in a competition under certain conditions. Makes it a Class A misdemeanor to possess a firearm modified to resemble a toy firearm, and increases the penalty to a Level 6 felony if the person possessed the modified firearm while committing a crime.

Current Status: 1/8/2015 - Senator Arnold added as second author

All Bill Status: 1/8/2015 - Sen. Arnold added as second author
1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Michael Crider

SB236 **AUTOMATED LICENSE PLATE READERS** (SMITH J) Prohibits a law enforcement agency from retaining license plate data captured by an automated license plate reader unless: (1)

a comparison of the captured plate data with a data base shows that the data is relevant to an ongoing criminal investigation, the location of a missing person or a fugitive from justice, or the commission of a crime; (2) the person in whose name the license plate was issued requests retention of the data; or (3) the data was obtained under a warrant.

Current Status: 2/17/2015 - Senate Homeland Security & Transportation, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)

All Bill Status: 2/10/2015 - Senator Stoops added as coauthor
2/10/2015 - Senate Homeland Security & Transportation, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Homeland Security & Transportation
1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By James Smith

SB243 **RACIAL PROFILING** (BREAUX J) Prohibits a municipal, county, or state law enforcement agency from engaging in racial profiling. Requires a law enforcement agency to adopt a detailed policy that defines the elements of racial profiling. Requires a law enforcement agency to transmit to the attorney general information concerning racial profiling complaints, investigations, and any action taken, and requires the attorney general to submit a biennial report to the legislative council based on this information.

Current Status: 1/6/2015 - Referred to Senate Homeland Security & Transportation

All Bill Status: 1/6/2015 - First Reading
1/6/2015 - Authored By Jean Breaux

SB265 **PURCHASE OF SERVICE CREDIT** (KRUSE D) Permits a member of the public employees' retirement fund (PERF) to purchase at full actuarial cost the member's prior service in the 1977 police officers' and firefighters' pension and disability fund (1977 fund). Requires the board of trustees of the Indiana public retirement system to transfer from the 1977 fund to PERF the member's contributions and the present value of the unreduced benefit payable upon retirement that is attributable to the member. Requires the transferred amounts to be credited against the contributions required to purchase the member's prior 1977 fund service. Permits the member's employer to pay all or a part of the member's contributions required for the purchase of the member's prior 1977 fund service. Provides that credit in the 1977 fund for the service that is purchased is waived. Makes a technical correction to service purchase provisions of public pension and retirement funds.

Current Status: 1/27/2015 - Representative Cox added as sponsor

All Bill Status: 1/27/2015 - Representative Cox added first Senate sponsor
1/27/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 46: yeas 50, nays 0
1/27/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
1/26/2015 - Amendment #1 (Kruse) prevailed; voice vote
1/26/2015 - Reread second time: amended, ordered engrossed
1/26/2015 - Placed back on second reading
1/26/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed as amended
1/26/2015 - Amendment #1 (Kruse), prevailed voice vote
1/26/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
1/22/2015 - Placed back on second reading
1/22/2015 - Senator Tallian added as coauthor
1/22/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
1/20/2015 - Senator Boots added as second author
1/20/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed
1/20/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading

1/15/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
1/14/2015 - Senate Pensions and Labor, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/7/2015 - Referred to Pensions and Labor
1/7/2015 - First Reading
1/7/2015 - Authored By Kruse, Dennis

SB275 **PENALTIES FOR CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE OFFENSES** (MERRITT J) Increases the penalties for the following controlled substance offenses: (1) Dealing in cocaine or a narcotic drug. (2) Dealing in methamphetamine. (3) Dealing in a schedule I, II, III, IV, or V controlled substance. (4) Dealing in a substance represented to be a controlled substance. (5) Dealing in a counterfeit substance. (6) Dealing in marijuana, hash oil, hashish, or salvia. (7) Dealing in a synthetic drug or synthetic drug lookalike substance. Makes conforming amendments.

Current Status: 1/7/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law

All Bill Status: 1/7/2015 - First Reading
1/7/2015 - Authored By James Merritt

SB278 **DRUG DEALING AND VIOLENT CRIMES** (MERRITT J) Increases the penalty for dealing certain drugs by one level, and raises the minimum amount for sentence enhancement from one gram to three grams. Removes the requirement that possession with intent to deliver be based on evidence in addition to the weight of the drug. Makes manufacturing hash oil a Level 4 felony if the manufacture results in a fire or explosion that causes serious bodily injury to another person. Increases the penalty for dealing in a counterfeit substance if the person represents the substance to be cocaine, methamphetamine, LSD, or a schedule I or II narcotic drug. Adds unlawful possession of a firearm by a serious violent felon to the definition of "crime of violence". Makes conforming amendments.

Current Status: 1/12/2015 - Senator Head added as second author

All Bill Status: 1/12/2015 - Sen. Head added as second author
1/7/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law
1/7/2015 - First Reading
1/7/2015 - Authored By James Merritt

SB279 **THREATS AND GUN VIOLENCE** (MERRITT J) Provides that a juvenile court does not have jurisdiction over an individual: (1) at least 14 years of age who carries a handgun without a license; or (2) who uses a firearm in the commission of an offense. Makes communicating a threat with the intent to cause the evacuation of school property or a hospital a Level 6 felony. (Under current law, the offense is a Class A misdemeanor.) Adds unlawful possession of a firearm by a serious violent felon to the definition of "crime of violence". Provides that a person who uses a firearm to commit certain offenses may be sentenced to an additional term of 20 years. (Under current law, the person may be sentenced to an additional term of five to 20 years.)

Current Status: 1/12/2015 - Senator Raatz added as coauthor

All Bill Status: 1/8/2015 - Senator Head added as second author
1/7/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law
1/7/2015 - First Reading
1/7/2015 - Authored By James Merritt

SB284 **MEDICAL MARIJUANA** (TALLIAN K) Establishes a medical marijuana program and permits caregivers and patients who have received a physician recommendation to possess a certain quantity of marijuana for treatment. Creates the department of marijuana

enforcement (DOME) to oversee the program, and creates the DOME advisory committee to review the effectiveness of the program and to consider recommendations from DOME. Authorizes DOME to grant research licenses to research facilities with a physical presence in Indiana. Repeals the controlled substance excise tax and the marijuana eradication program. Makes conforming amendments.

Current Status: 1/8/2015 - Referred to Health and Provider Services

All Bill Status: 1/8/2015 - First Reading
1/8/2015 - Authored By Karen Tallian

SB289

CONFIDENTIAL VICTIM SERVICES REQUESTS (ARNOLD J) Permits, for purposes of the public records law, a law enforcement agency to share certain information with a crime victim advocate without the agency losing the discretion to keep this information confidential from other persons requesting records.

Current Status: 2/17/2015 - Representatives Lawson, Hale and Macer added as cosponsor

All Bill Status: 2/17/2015 - Representative McNamara added as sponsor
2/17/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 166: yeas 50, nays 0
2/17/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/16/2015 - Senator Randolph added as coauthor
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2/16/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/12/2015 - Senator Delph added as coauthor
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2/11/2015 - Senate Judiciary, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
2/10/2015 - Senator Zakas added as coauthor
2/5/2015 - Senator Houchin added as coauthor
1/8/2015 - Senator Broden added as coauthor
1/8/2015 - Senator Steele added as second author
1/8/2015 - Sen. Broden added as coauthor
1/8/2015 - Sen. Steele added as second author
1/8/2015 - Referred to Senate Judiciary
1/8/2015 - First Reading
1/8/2015 - Authored By James Arnold

SB290

EPHEDRINE AND PSEUDOEPHEDRINE (GLICK S) Provides that materials, compounds, mixtures, or preparations that contain ephedrine or pseudoephedrine are schedule III controlled substances that may be dispensed only by prescription. Repeals: (1) the law allowing the dispensing of ephedrine and pseudoephedrine without a prescription subject to certain restrictions; and (2) provisions related to that law.

Current Status: 1/8/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law

All Bill Status: 1/8/2015 - First Reading
1/8/2015 - Authored By Susan Glick

SB296

ADULT ENTERTAINMENT PERFORMERS (BUCK J) Requires a holder of a retailer's permit that provides adult entertainment on the licensed premises to: (1) require adult entertainment performers to provide proof of age and proof of legal residency; (2) take a photograph of each adult entertainer who auditions to provide adult entertainment at the licensed premises and retain the photograph for at least three years; (3) require all employees to sign a document acknowledging their awareness of the problem of human trafficking; (4) display human trafficking awareness posters in at least two places in the licensed premises; and (5) cooperate with any law enforcement investigation. Authorizes

the alcohol and tobacco commission to suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew a retailer's permit if the permit holder fails to comply with these requirements.

Current Status: 2/19/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed

All Bill Status: 2/19/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/16/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/12/2015 - Senator Houchin added as coauthor
2/12/2015 - Senator Randolph added as coauthor
2/12/2015 - Senator Arnold added as third author
2/12/2015 - Senator Alting added as second author
2/12/2015 - Senate Commerce & Technology, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/26/2015 - Senator Banks A added as coauthor
1/8/2015 - Referred to Senate Commerce & Technology
1/8/2015 - First Reading
1/8/2015 - Authored By James Buck

SB313 **DEFINITION OF "SEXUAL CONDUCT"** (HEAD R) Adds exhibition of the female breast to the definition of "sexual conduct" for purposes of the law concerning child exploitation and child pornography.

Current Status: 2/12/2015 - Representative Kirchhofer added as sponsor

All Bill Status: 2/12/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 146: yeas 50, nays 0
2/12/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/10/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed
2/10/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/9/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/5/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted
2/3/2015 - Senator Steele added as second author
2/3/2015 - Senate Corrections & Criminal Law, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/8/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law
1/8/2015 - First Reading
1/8/2015 - Authored By Randall Head

SB314 **CHILD EXPLOITATION AND CHILD PORNOGRAPHY** (HEAD R) Provides that for purposes of the elements of the crimes of: (1) child exploitation; and (2) possession of child pornography; sexual conduct includes the exhibition of the female breast with less than a fully opaque covering of any part of the nipple.

Current Status: 1/14/2015 - Withdrawn

All Bill Status: 1/8/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law
1/8/2015 - First Reading
1/8/2015 - Authored By Randall Head

SB341 **LOST PERSONAL PROPERTY SUBMITTED TO POLICE** (ROGERS E) Establishes a method for an individual who comes into possession of tangible personal property, except firearms, or cash that the individual: (1) does not own; and (2) submits to a law enforcement agency; to become the rightful owner of the tangible personal property or cash. Prohibits a law enforcement agency from turning over possession of tangible personal property or cash submitted to the law enforcement agency to any person if the tangible personal property or cash is: (1) needed as evidence in an ongoing criminal investigation; (2) dangerous; or (3) unusable.

Current Status: 1/8/2015 - Referred to Senate Homeland Security &

Transportation

All Bill Status: 1/8/2015 - First Reading
1/8/2015 - Authored By Earline Rogers

SB365 ELECTRONIC DOCUMENTS (WALTZ B) Defines "electronic document" and provides that an electronic document may be searched, seized, or intercepted only if it is particularly described in a warrant.

Current Status: 1/22/2015 - Senator Bray removed as second author

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - Senator Bray added as second author
1/8/2015 - Referred to Senate Judiciary
1/8/2015 - First Reading
1/8/2015 - Authored By Brent Waltz

SB375 HUMAN TRAFFICKING, PROMOTING PROSTITUTION, AND ASSET FORFEITURE (HOUCHIN E) Allows a law enforcement agency to seize real or personal property, including a vehicle, that is used by a person to: (1) commit, attempt to commit, or conspire to commit; (2) facilitate the commission of; or (3) escape from the commission of; an offense concerning human trafficking or promoting prostitution.

Current Status: 2/16/2015 - Referred to House

All Bill Status: 2/10/2015 - Senator Miller, Pat added as coauthor
2/10/2015 - Representatives Cox and Hale added as cosponsor
2/10/2015 - Representative McNamara added as sponsor
2/10/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 127: yeas 50, nays 0
2/10/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/9/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/5/2015 - Senator Banks A added as coauthor
2/5/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/3/2015 - Second reading amended, ordered engrossed
2/3/2015 - Amendment #2 (Houchin) prevailed; voice vote
2/3/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/2/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
1/29/2015 - Senators Zakas, Taylor, Delph, Randolph and Buck added as coauthor
1/29/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted
1/28/2015 - Committee Report Filed
1/28/2015 - Senate Judiciary, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/20/2015 - Senator Steele added as third author
1/12/2015 - Referred to Senate Judiciary
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Erin Houchin

SB380 CRISIS INTERVENTION TEAMS (STOOPS M) Requires the law enforcement training academy to include an overview of crisis intervention team (CIT) training model in initial training. Establishes the Indiana technical assistance center for crisis intervention teams to: (1) administer CIT programs; (2) identify grants and other funds that may be used to fund CIT programs; and (3) assist law enforcement agencies with establishing CIT programs. Requires a CIT to assist law enforcement in responding to crisis situations involving individuals with mental illness, substance abuse issues, or both mental illness and substance abuse issues. Requires the institute and the division of mental health and addiction to: (1) establish the criteria for developing CITs; (2) develop training programs for all persons involved in CITs; and (3) assess and report on the effectiveness of each CIT.

Current Status: 2/19/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed

All Bill Status: 2/19/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/17/2015 - Senators Randolph and Arnold added as coauthor
2/17/2015 - Senator Yoder added as coauthor
2/17/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/17/2015 - Senate Homeland Security & Transportation, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
2/12/2015 - Senator Merritt added as third author
2/2/2015 - Senator Young, M. added as coauthor
1/22/2015 - Senator Crider added as second author
1/12/2015 - Referred to Senate Homeland Security & Transportation
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Mark Stoops

SB382 STATEWIDE 911 SYSTEM (HERSHMAN B) Repeals a provision that: (1) required the budget committee to conduct a review of the statewide 911 system for years 2013 and 2014; and (2) provided for the July 1, 2015, expiration of the statewide 911 fee if the budget committee did not recommend continuation of the fee. Provides that the prohibition on connecting to a 911 network with an automatic alarm, automatic dialer, or other automated alerting device does not apply to a school corporation, charter school, or nonpublic school that receives permission from the statewide 911 board to use the automatic alarm, dialer, or other alerting device.

Current Status: 2/12/2015 - Representative Karickhoff added as cosponsor
All Bill Status: 2/12/2015 - Representative Soliday added as sponsor
2/12/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 149: yeas 49, nays 1
2/12/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/10/2015 - Senator Merritt added as second author
2/10/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/9/2015 - Senator Buck added as coauthor
2/9/2015 - Second reading amended, ordered engrossed
2/9/2015 - Amendment #1 (Miller Pete) prevailed; voice vote
2/9/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/5/2015 - Senator Randolph added as coauthor
2/5/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/3/2015 - Senator Broden added as coauthor
2/3/2015 - Senate Tax and Fiscal Policy, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/12/2015 - Referred to Tax and Fiscal Policy
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Brandt Hershman

SB388 SEIZURE AND FORFEITURE OF PROPERTY (HERSHMAN B) Requires a law enforcement agency and prosecuting attorney to report monthly certain information to the Indiana state police department or the Indiana prosecuting attorneys council concerning seized or forfeited property, and requires the Indiana state police department and prosecuting attorneys council to compile these reports and transmit them monthly to the treasurer of state.

Current Status: 2/19/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
All Bill Status: 2/17/2015 - Senator Bray added as second author
2/17/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed
2/17/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/16/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading

2/12/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/11/2015 - Committee Report Filed-amend, do pass
2/11/2015 - Senate Judiciary, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/12/2015 - Referred to Senate Judiciary
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Brandt Hershman

SB398 SCHOOL BUS STOP ARM VIOLATIONS (BASSLER E) Provides that a law enforcement officer may arrest a person when the officer has probable cause to believe that the person has committed a misdemeanor by recklessly passing a school bus when the arm signal device of the bus is in the extended position. (Current law requires the officer to have probable cause to believe that the person is committing or attempting to commit the misdemeanor in the officer's presence.)

Current Status: 2/12/2015 - Senator Arnold added as third author
All Bill Status: 2/12/2015 - Representative Zent added as cosponsor
2/12/2015 - Representative Ubelhor added as sponsor
2/12/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 150: yeas 38, nays 11
2/12/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/10/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed
2/10/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/9/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/5/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/3/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted
2/3/2015 - Senate Homeland Security & Transportation, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/26/2015 - Senator Ford added as second author
1/12/2015 - Referred to Senate Homeland Security & Transportation
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Eric Bassler

SB402 MILITARY VETERAN PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER HIRING AGE (LANANE T) Increases the maximum age for appointment as a police officer or firefighter from 36 to 40 years of age, if the applicant is a veteran of the armed forces of the United States.

Current Status: 1/12/2015 - Referred to Veterans Affairs & The Military
All Bill Status: 1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Timothy Lanane

SB419 TOWN MARSHALS (BOOTS P) Provides that, after December 31, 2015, a town law enforcement officer who: (1) is not a member of the 1977 police officers' and firefighters' pension and disability fund and does not participate in another pension or retirement plan offered by the town; (2) has successfully completed the minimum basic training requirements for town law enforcement officers; and (3) normally performs service for the town for at least 1,750 hours during a year; becomes a member of the public employees' retirement fund.

Current Status: 2/3/2015 - Referred to House
All Bill Status: 1/27/2015 - Representative Brown, T. added as sponsor
1/27/2015 - Senator Randolph added as coauthor
1/27/2015 - Representative Brown, T. added first Senate sponsor
1/27/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 55: yeas 48, nays 2

1/27/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
1/26/2015 - Amendment #1 (Boots) prevailed; voice vote
1/26/2015 - Second reading amended, ordered engrossed
1/26/2015 - Amendment #1 (Boots), prevailed voice vote
1/26/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
1/22/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
1/21/2015 - Senate Pensions and Labor, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/12/2015 - Referred to Pensions and Labor
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Philip Boots

SB421 **AUTOCYCLES** (GROOMS R) Defines "autocycle" for purposes of motor vehicle law, and provides that an autocycle is a motorcycle. Makes conforming changes.

Current Status: 2/19/2015 - Senator Alting added as second author

All Bill Status: 2/19/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/17/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/17/2015 - Senate Homeland Security & Transportation, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/12/2015 - Referred to Senate Homeland Security & Transportation
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Ronald Grooms

SB427 **DISTRIBUTIONS OF PUBLIC SAFETY INCOME TAX REVENUE** (NIEMEYER R) Provides for mandatory distributions of public safety local option income tax (LOIT) revenue to the eligible civil taxing units of an adopting county, which includes the adopting county, the cities and towns of the adopting county, and other civil taxing units of the adopting county that provide fire protection or emergency medical services. Eliminates an obsolete petition procedure in current law that applies to fire departments, volunteer fire departments, and emergency medical services providers in unincorporated areas of an adopting county that seek a discretionary distribution of public safety LOIT revenue.

Current Status: 2/19/2015 - Senator Young, M. added as third author

All Bill Status: 2/19/2015 - Senator Ford added as second author
2/19/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/17/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted
2/17/2015 - Senate Tax and Fiscal Policy, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/12/2015 - Referred to Tax and Fiscal Policy
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Rick Niemeyer

SB443 **VARIOUS EDUCATION MATTERS** (KRUSE D) Allows grants from the safe schools fund to provide schoolwide programs to improve school climate and professional development and training in alternatives to suspension and expulsion and evidence based practices that contribute to a positive school environment. Provides that an election for a student to have legal settlement in the school corporation whose attendance area contains the residence of the student's mother or father shall be made on a yearly basis and applies throughout the school year unless the student's mother or father no longer resides within the attendance area of the school corporation. Provides that a school corporation that has adopted a policy not to accept student transfers after June 30, 2013, is not prohibited from enrolling a transfer student from an accredited nonpublic school or charter school located within the

school corporation's boundaries if the school corporation has entered into an agreement to allow students of the accredited nonpublic school or charter school to transfer to the school within the school corporation. Requires the department of education (department) to develop guidelines for use by accredited teacher education institutions in preparing teachers to successfully apply classroom behavioral management strategies, including culturally responsive methods, to provide alternatives to suspension and expulsion. Removes a requirement that the department report instances of noncompliance of local salary scale requirements to the state board of education. Requires the department to allow the use of computer or digital response technology to complete a statewide, national, or international student assessment. Provides that a school corporation or school may allow a student to use computer or digital response technology to complete an assessment. Provides that a school staff member may take disciplinary action instead of suspending or expelling a student for misconduct that is not related to school safety. Requires the state board of education to develop for school counselors who hold a professional or accomplished teaching license professional development requirements or standards that emphasize improving skills and knowledge related to providing effective school counseling or guidance. Requires a school's professional development program to include separate professional development requirements for school counselors. Changes references in the Indiana Code from "guidance counselor" to "school counselor". Creates a school discipline data workgroup to study various issues related to the collection and analysis of school discipline data. Urges the legislative council to assign to the education study committee the topic of requiring 30 minutes for physical activity each school day for students and related topics.

Current Status: 2/10/2015 - Senator Randolph added as coauthor

All Bill Status: 2/10/2015 - Representative Behning added as sponsor
2/10/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 131: yeas 35, nays 15
2/10/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/9/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed
2/9/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/5/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/4/2015 - Committee Report Filed-amend, do pass
2/4/2015 - Senate Education and Career Development, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/29/2015 - Senator Miller, Pete added as second author
1/29/2015 - Senator Rogers added as coauthor
1/28/2015 - Senate Education and Career Development, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/15/2015 - Senator Schneider added as coauthor
1/15/2015 - Schneider added as coauthor
1/12/2015 - Referred to Education and Career Development
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Dennis Kruse

SB444 **DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED AND CHILD ENDANGERMENT** (KRUSE D) Provides that a court must order the installation of a certified ignition interlock device on a motor vehicle that is owned or expected to be operated by a person convicted of operating a motor vehicle while intoxicated while a passenger less than 18 years of age was present.

Current Status: 1/12/2015 - Referred to Senate Judiciary

All Bill Status: 1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Dennis Kruse

SB445 **EPHEDRINE AND PSEUDOEPHEDRINE (STEELE B)** Provides that materials, compounds, mixtures, or preparations that contain ephedrine or pseudoephedrine are schedule IV controlled substances that may be dispensed only by prescription, except for a product that is determined by the Indiana board of pharmacy to be an extraction resistant or conversion resistant form of ephedrine or pseudoephedrine. Requires the superintendent of the state police to submit a report by July 1, 2017, regarding the impact of ephedrine and pseudoephedrine as a schedule IV controlled substance. Provides that this bill is effective from July 1, 2015, to June 30, 2018.

Current Status: 1/15/2015 - Senator Head added as third author

All Bill Status: 1/15/2015 - Senator Glick added as second author
1/15/2015 - Sen. Head added as third author
1/15/2015 - Sen. Glick added as second author
1/14/2015 - Pursuant to Senate Rule 68(b); reassigned to Committee on Corrections & Criminal Law
1/12/2015 - Referred to Senate Judiciary
1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By Brent Steele

SB454 **PUBLIC RECORDS REQUESTS FOR POLICE VIDEO (TOMES J)** Urges the legislative council to assign to a study committee during the 2015 legislative interim the topic of public records requests for police body camera video.

Current Status: 1/12/2015 - Referred to Senate Judiciary

All Bill Status: 1/12/2015 - First Reading
1/12/2015 - Authored By James Tomes

SB458 **ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATIONS (DELPH M)** Provides that the definition of "electronic communication" includes metadata that relates to an electronic communication. Requires that the search or seizure of an electronic communication be specifically authorized by state law or a court order based on probable cause, even if the electronic communication is in the custody of a third party, and makes it a Level 5 felony to violate these requirements. Prohibits the state, state agencies, political subdivisions, and local units of government from: (1) assisting a federal agency that collects an electronic communication unless authorized by state law or a court order based on probable cause; and (2) using information that relates to an electronic communication in an investigation or a criminal prosecution if the information was obtained from a federal agency that collected the electronic communication without authorization from state law or a court order based on probable cause. Makes knowingly or intentionally: (1) assisting a federal agency that collects electronic communications without authorization from state law or a court order based on probable cause; or (2) using information obtained from a federal agency that collects electronic communications without authorization from state law or a court order based on probable cause in a criminal investigation or prosecution; a Level 5 felony. Prohibits a law enforcement agency or governmental entity from using a real-time tracking device unless: (1) use of the device is required as a condition of bail or court ordered supervision; (2) the owner of the tracking device consents; (3) use of the device is authorized by a court order based on probable cause; or (4) exigent circumstances exist.

Current Status: 1/14/2015 - Referred to Senate Judiciary

All Bill Status: 1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Michael Delph

SB491 **SCHOOL EMERGENCY RESPONSE SYSTEMS (BOOTS P)** Urges the legislative council to assign to the appropriate interim study committee the topic of school emergency response systems for study during the 2015 interim.

Current Status: 2/19/2015 - Referred to House

All Bill Status: 2/17/2015 - Representative Mahan added as sponsor
2/17/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 178: yeas 50, nays 0
2/17/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/16/2015 - Senator Randolph added as coauthor
2/16/2015 - Second reading ordered engrossed
2/16/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/12/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/10/2015 - Senators Crider, Eckerty, Grooms and Rogers added as coauthor
2/10/2015 - Senator Merritt added as third author
2/10/2015 - Senator Arnold added as second author
2/10/2015 - Senator Stoops added as coauthor
2/10/2015 - Senate Homeland Security & Transportation, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/14/2015 - Referred to Senate Homeland Security & Transportation
1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Philip Boots

SB492 **VARIOUS PENSION MATTERS** (BOOTS P) Establishes a procedure by which a political subdivision may participate in the defined contribution only plan (the plan) and choose whether the political subdivision's employees participate in the public employees' retirement fund (PERF), the plan, or may elect whether to participate in PERF or the plan. Provides that an ordinance or resolution adopted by the governing body of a political subdivision that specifies the departmental, occupational, or other definable classification of employees: (1) who are required to become members of the plan; or (2) who may elect whether to become members of PERF or of the plan; may not take effect before January 2, 2016. Permits a political subdivision that allows its employees to make an election to choose a default option for employees who fail to do so. Provides that the default option is PERF, if a political subdivision does not choose a default option. Permits a political subdivision to establish its employer contribution rate to the plan and to elect to match a percentage of its employees' additional contributions to the plan. Requires the board of trustees (board) of the Indiana public retirement system (INPRS) to assess an employer a supplemental contribution to PERF, if necessary, to fund the employer's share of the actuarial accrued liability that is unfunded because the employer's employees are members of the plan rather than PERF. Requires the board to notify the interim study committee for pension management oversight (interim committee) if the board determines contributions and contribution rates for one or more employers participating in PERF or teachers' retirement fund (TRF) that differ from the contributions and contribution rates recommended by the INPRS actuaries. For purposes of the statutes allowing the state to make an election or take discretionary action under the public retirement system laws, specifies which entities may make the election or take the action. Requires the office of management and budget to report to the interim committee each year concerning information received from political subdivisions about the subdivisions' retirement plans other than plans administered by INPRS. Establishes a procedure for a miscellaneous participating entity (entity) or political subdivision to withdraw or freeze participation in PERF. Requires a withdrawing or freezing entity or political subdivision to fully fund PERF benefits attributable to the entity's or political subdivision's employees' PERF service with the entity or political subdivision. Requires an entity or political subdivision that withdraws from or freezes participation in PERF and thereafter offers its employees a retirement benefit to participate in the plan. Requires any other public employer that is eligible but not required to participate in PERF and that wishes to offer a retirement benefit to an employee

after June 30, 2015, to participate in either PERF or the plan. Grandfathers participation in another defined contribution plan for entities, political subdivisions, and other public employers participating in another plan on July 1, 2015. Provides that after December 31, 2015, members and beneficiaries of any public pension fund administered by INPRS may receive monthly benefits only by direct deposit or another method approved by the board. Expires a section concerning other methods of paying monthly benefits to members and beneficiaries of PERF and TRF. Permits a retired member of the 1977 police officers' and firefighters' pension and disability fund (1977 fund) who is at least 55 years of age to: (1) be rehired by the same unit that employed the member in a position covered by the 1977 fund for a position not covered by the 1977 fund without a minimum period of separation from employment; and (2) continue to receive the member's retirement benefit from the 1977 fund.

Current Status: 2/16/2015 - Referred to House

All Bill Status: 2/10/2015 - Representative Burton added as sponsor
2/10/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 134: yeas 49, nays 0
2/10/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading
2/9/2015 - Senator Tallian added as second author
2/9/2015 - Senator Tallian removed as coauthor
2/9/2015 - Second reading amended, ordered engrossed
2/9/2015 - Amendment #1 (Boots) prevailed; voice vote
2/9/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading
2/5/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted
2/5/2015 - Senate Appropriations, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
2/3/2015 - Senator Tallian added as coauthor
1/29/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass, adopted, reassigned to committee on Appropriations
1/28/2015 - Committee Report Filed
1/28/2015 - Senate Pensions and Labor, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
1/14/2015 - Referred to Pensions and Labor
1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By Philip Boots

SB536

METHAMPHETAMINE (YOUNG R) Requires courts to report drug related felonies to the state police department. Requires the state police department to report drug related felonies to NPLEx so that NPLEx can generate a stop sale alerts to prevent individuals with drug related felonies from purchasing ephedrine or pseudoephedrine. Provides that the offense of possession of a precursor by a methamphetamine offender (which prohibits the possession of pseudoephedrine or ephedrine without a prescription by persons convicted of certain offenses) applies to a person who has been convicted of a drug related felony. Requires the state police department, in January 2020, to report the number of methamphetamine laboratories discovered in calendar year 2019. Provides that if the number of methamphetamine laboratories discovered is greater than 400: (1) ephedrine and pseudoephedrine become Schedule IV controlled substances from 2020 until 2023; and (2) reporting requirements relating to the purchase of ephedrine and pseudoephedrine, as well as certain provisions relating to retail sale, are suspended from 2020 to 2023.

Current Status: 2/19/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted

All Bill Status: 2/19/2015 - Senate Appropriations, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
2/17/2015 - Committee Report amend do pass adopted; reassigned to committee on Appropriations
2/17/2015 - Senate Corrections & Criminal Law, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)

2/10/2015 - Senate Corrections & Criminal Law, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)
2/9/2015 - Senator Tomes added as coauthor
2/9/2015 - Senator Taylor added as coauthor
2/5/2015 - Senator Arnold added as coauthor
2/5/2015 - Senator Head added as third author
1/14/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law
1/14/2015 - First Reading
1/14/2015 - Authored By R Michael Young

SB545 **LAW ENFORCEMENT DATA** (TAYLOR G) Requires school corporations, charter schools, and accredited nonpublic schools to create, store, and maintain records for all emergency dispatch requests and arrests.

Current Status: 1/20/2015 - Referred to Education and Career Development

All Bill Status: 1/20/2015 - First Reading

1/20/2015 - Authored By Greg Taylor

SB559 **CRIMES OF VIOLENCE** (YOUNG R) Adds unlawful possession of a firearm by a serious violent felon to the definition of "crimes of violence". Establishes new caps for consecutive sentences that result from a single episode of criminal conduct. Defines "emergency medical services provider". Establishes a 20 year sentencing enhancement for a person who points or discharges a firearm at an individual whom the person knows or reasonably should have known was a police officer. Makes technical corrections.

Current Status: 2/16/2015 - Referred to House

All Bill Status: 2/5/2015 - Senator Crider added as coauthor

2/5/2015 - Representative Frizzell added as sponsor

2/5/2015 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 99: yeas 42, nays 6

2/5/2015 - Senate Bills on Third Reading

2/3/2015 - Second reading amended, ordered engrossed

2/3/2015 - Amendment #4 (Taylor) prevailed; voice vote

2/3/2015 - Amendment #1 (Glick) prevailed; voice vote

2/3/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading

2/2/2015 - Senator Merritt added as coauthor

2/2/2015 - Senate Bills on Second Reading

1/29/2015 - Committee Report do pass, adopted

1/27/2015 - Senator Steele added as coauthor

1/27/2015 - Senate Corrections & Criminal Law, (Bill Scheduled for Hearing)

1/20/2015 - Senator Schneider added as coauthor

1/20/2015 - Senator Miller, Pat added as third author

1/20/2015 - Senator Waltz added as second author

1/20/2015 - Referred to Senate Corrections & Criminal Law

1/20/2015 - First Reading

1/20/2015 - Authored By R Michael Young