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Voting Record on
Youth-Related Legislation

**Special Session Addendum*



*Investing in Youth Today, Improving Conditions
Tomorrow*

ABOUT THE MARION COUNTY COMMISSION ON YOUTH (MCCOY), INC.

MCCOY is an independent, non-partisan 501(c)(3) organization that champions the positive development of youth through leadership on key issues and support of the youth worker community. MCCOY works toward the **goal of ensuring that every young person in central Indiana has opportunities to thrive, learn, engage, and contribute**. MCCOY serves as an **advocate** on behalf of youth, a **capacity builder** that prepares youth-serving organizations to support youth, a **convener** that brings the community together to address youth issues, and a **resource** that provides tools and information to young people.

Public Policy Goals

Early Intervention & Prevention

- Youth should be safe, nurtured and free from abuse, neglect and delinquency through comprehensive community efforts that coordinate, build capacity and advocate for high-quality early intervention and prevention services

Quality Youth Programs

- Youth programs should adhere to quality and best practice standards to best serve the youth in Indiana

Student Success

- Youth in Indiana have the right to receive a quality education, graduate and succeed

Youth Engagement

- Youth can be empowered to voice their opinions about and be part of the decisions that affect them

Youth Worker Professional Development

- Professionals working with youth should have opportunities for continuing education and professional development programs with quality standards and credentialing

2018 Legislative Priorities

Early Childhood Safety & Education

- Ensure that all Hoosier children have access to quality child care and pre-school programs regardless of income or geographic location
- Require kindergarten attendance and continue to fully fund full-day kindergarten statewide
- Provide greater access to developmental and mental health assessments for children ages birth to five and increase training for mental and behavioral health professionals in treatment modalities that reflect best practices for this age group

Early Intervention & Prevention

- Ensure that prevention and early intervention programs are available and accessible to youth, individuals, and families who require them before they are in crisis
- Require surveys of all mental and behavioral health professionals that gather information about practice areas and specialties, geographic areas of service, use of telemedicine, etc. to better determine areas of shortages and accessibility issues
- Monitor the progress of the Commission on Improving the Status of Children to ensure the well-being of and access to opportunities for success for every Hoosier child
- Ensure that pregnant mothers, including mothers with substance use disorder (SUD), have access to services for the treatment and prevention of medical conditions that could have serious consequences for their infant's health and well-being

Education

- Embrace a comprehensive evidence-based approach to prevent all forms of peer aggression and disruptive behavior, including bullying, gangs, dating violence, and suicide. This includes providing resources and training to all school personnel that foster positive and safe school environments and promote positive social skill development
- Eliminate zero tolerance discipline policies at the school and state level in favor of graduated codes of discipline aimed at maintaining the student's academic progress and addressing the root causes of disruptive and aggressive behaviors
- Provide all students access to educational and counseling options that guide them to college and career readiness and provide adequate funding to career and technical education opportunities
- Establish a point-of-contact within the Indiana Department of Education to monitor prevention programs and policies, provide technical assistance to school corporations in developing policies, and assist with tracking data related to instances of peer aggression and disruptive behaviors

Well-Being & Safety

- Reduce and prevent youth suicide and substance abuse by expanding training in evidence-based prevention and awareness for all youth-serving professionals, expand the mental health and substance abuse workforce, particularly in rural areas, and improve access to both inpatient and outpatient behavioral health programs
- Ensure that policies affecting issues of youth safety such as violence, suicide, gangs, and bullying are data-driven and reflect a comprehensive, holistic approach to understanding and addressing the root causes of the issues within families, communities, and schools
- Protect youth who are being trafficked by curbing demand through increased criminal penalties for adults and increased intervention services for victims
- Support increased usage of the Community Eligibility Provision for schools who have at least 40% of students who qualify for free and reduced lunches, remove the ban on drug felons' access to Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), and support efforts to reduce food deserts in Indiana

ABOUT THIS VOTING RECORD

The purpose of this guide is to inform the reader about legislation that was brought forward relating to youth during the 2018 legislative session. The bills published in this document are not a full, comprehensive report of all bills relating to youth, but reflect those bills that either fit into MCCOY's priorities or have a direct impact on youth in Indiana. The summaries provided are those that appear on the General Assembly's website as prepared by the Legislative Services Agency and some contain additional commentary where needed.

**This voting record was updated on May 15, 2018 to reflect several of the bills that passed during the special legislative session on May 14, 2018.*

The voting record for each legislator in the state serves to inform the reader on how their legislator votes on children's issues and is not intended to be a scorecard because, as a non-partisan organization, MCCOY does not endorse or oppose any legislator based on their votes.

Acronyms:

HB – House Bill

SB – Senate Bill

HEA – House Enrolled Act

SEA – Senate Enrolled Act

(ss) – Special Session

Y – Yes Vote

N – No Vote

NV – Not Voting

E – Excused

To find complete information on all of the bills from the 2018 session, please visit: <http://www.iga.in.gov>

To find out who your legislator is, please visit: <http://district.iga.in.gov/DistrictLookup/>

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MCCOY'S PRIORITY BILLS

MCCOY's Director of Public Policy and Advocacy actively and successfully lobbied for a number of bills to be passed into law during the 2018 legislative session. Activities on these bills varied in level of involvement, but included researching and writing language for the bills; meeting with legislators to garner their support for the bills; testifying in front of legislative committees; educating other colleagues and professionals to gain their support for the bills; assisting colleagues in understanding bills and how to lobby for and against bills; and monitoring their progress through the legislative process.

[HEA1191 Suspected Human Trafficking](#)

Author: Representative Karen Engleman

Sponsor: Senator Michael Crider

Summary: Removes the requirement that licensed health care providers (including behavioral health) must report adult patients who are suspected of being victims of human trafficking to law enforcement. Licensed providers are required to provide information about resources and services that are available to suspected victims of human trafficking.

Rationale: *A law passed in the 2017 session needed to be revised so that licensed medical and behavioral health practitioners would not be penalized by losing their professional licensure for not reporting a suspected adult victim of human trafficking. They explained in testimony that this process would go against recommended best practice of working with victims of human trafficking where the goal is to get the person help to get out of their trafficking situation, not be arrested and potentially prosecuted for any actions committed while being in a coercive or forced scenario by a trafficker. *Note: professionals are still mandated to report children ages 17 and under to law enforcement or Department of Child Services if suspected to be victims of human trafficking.*

[HEA1230 School Safety \(ss\)](#)

Author: Representative Wendy McNamara

Sponsor: Senator Jeff Raatz

Summary: Requires the Indiana Department of Education (IDOE) to provide resources to schools on the prevention of bullying and cyberbullying and requires school corporations to link to the IDOE website on their school website. Schools must include prohibition of bullying with a wireless or cellular communications device in their discipline rules. Additionally, the IDOE must provide resources regarding identification and reporting of human trafficking and that staff from public and private schools must receive at least one hour of training on human trafficking every two years. Finally, the IDOE will conduct a statewide needs assessment of the how schools are or are not addressing trauma-informed practices and create curriculum for the school safety specialists that includes active shooter training. The bill also provides that charter schools and accredited nonpublic schools may comply with school safety laws and are required to develop school safety and emergency plans which are to be shared with local law enforcement and fire departments.

Rationale: *This bill began as one to add enhanced cyberbullying and human trafficking provisions to the current statute. Through the legislative process, the bill was amended to address further school safety measures and then became a vehicle for Governor Holcomb's request for increased funding for schools through an additional \$5 million in the Secured School Safety Fund, \$1 million for the auditing of school safety plans, and \$35 million available in low-interest loans to schools for increasing school safety. This bill DIED in the last minutes of the legislative session and was passed during the special session on May 14.*

[HEA1270 Criminal Law Matters](#)

Author: Representative Sally Siegrist

Sponsor: Senator Randy Head

Summary: Makes the following changes to the human and sexual trafficking statute:

- Reclassifies the term "human and sexual trafficking" to "human trafficking," which includes labor and sexual trafficking
- Creates separate offenses for labor and sexual trafficking
- Removes the element of force from forced labor, marriage, prostitution, and participating in sexual conduct
- Removes involuntary servitude from the human trafficking statute
- Removes that a solicitor must know that a person is a victim of human trafficking before committing the offense
- Clarifies human sexual trafficking and child sexual trafficking under the "sex offender" and "sex or violent offender" statutes
- Clarifies definitions of "force," "threat of force," "coercion," and "fraud"
- Expands the rape shield statute for victims of human trafficking

- Adds an element to the defense of prosecution under the offenses of sexual misconduct with a minor and promotion of sexual trafficking of a younger child
- Prohibits defense of prosecution that the child consented to engage in prostitution or sexual conduct or that the intended victim of the offense is a law enforcement officer
- Requires law enforcement to immediately notify the Department of Child Services when they detain a suspected victim of human trafficking under the age of 18
- Requests the legislative study of human trafficking in Indiana involving law enforcement, creation of programs, and review of the penalties for human trafficking crimes
- Requires the Commission on Improving the Status of Children to study what specific authority law enforcement has to take custody of or detain a child who is possibly a victim of human trafficking and who is possibly a Child in Need of Services (CHINS)

Adds an exemption for the transfer or receipt of reasonable charges and fees for adoption services provided by an attorney from a profiting from an adoption offense. Also provides a defense to the crime of maintaining a common nuisance in certain circumstances.

Rationale: *These changes bring Indiana in-line with other states' laws that are recommended as best practices.*

[HEA1356 Bullying](#)

Author: Representative Greg Porter

Sponsor: Senator Dennis Kruse

Summary: Changes the requirement of school corporations to report the number of bullying incidents on their annual performance report and specifies that the number that they continue to report on school safety reports will not count against their annual school improvement grade. Requires the Indiana Department of Education (IDOE) to:

- Send annual reminders to school corporations regarding the requirement to report incidents of bullying and that they may conduct audits to ensure compliance and accuracy of reporting
 - Audits must be reported on the IDOE website if discrepancies are found
- Conduct a statewide survey concerning improving reporting of bullying incidents to the IDOE

Rationale: *An investigative report done by Kara Kenney at WRTV's Call6 found that a large number of schools were not reporting any incidents of bullying and that some schools were missing from the IDOE's annual report. This bill aims to hold schools more accountable for reporting and to seek ways to improve the process of reporting to the IDOE.*

[HEA1421 School Discipline](#)

Author: Representative Robert Behning

Sponsor: Senator Dennis Kruse

Summary: Requires that the Indiana Department of Education's (IDOE) model plan for improving student behavior and discipline must reduce out-of-school removals and disproportionality in discipline practices, limit referrals to law enforcement or arrests to incidents that protect the health and safety of students and staff in the school, and include policies to address instances of bullying and cyberbullying on school property. Also requires that the IDOE collaborate with key stakeholders to assist schools in implementing their plans, including teacher professional development and other resources. Requests the study of the use of positive student discipline and restorative justice practices in schools. Finally, the bill requires the IDOE to survey school corporation's school discipline policies to determine the extent to which positive discipline and restorative justice practices are being used.

Rationale: *Indiana has a high rate of usage of exclusionary or out-of-school disciplinary practices, particularly for youth of color. This bill takes steps to reduce that usage and encourage the use of positive discipline practices and restorative justice that will address the problem behaviors and help students make better behavioral decisions.*

[SEA65 Instruction on Human Sexuality](#)

Author: Senator Dennis Kruse

Sponsor: Representative Timothy Wesco

Summary: Requires school corporation to make available to parents all materials used in instruction on human sexuality. Requires that parents must choose to opt their student in or out of the instruction and if, after a reminder by the school, they do not choose either option within 21 days of receiving the form, the student will participate in the instruction.

Rationale: Some parents were concerned that schools were teaching inappropriate content to students and that schools were not allowing parents to review the materials ahead of the instruction to make an informed choice about if they should let their student attend the instruction. This bill will ensure that parents are notified, in advance, before their student participates in the instruction.

[SEA223 Information Provided by Health Practitioners](#)

Author: Senator Randy Head

Sponsor: Representative Wendy McNamara

Summary: Requires medical and behavioral health practitioners licensed under the following boards must complete a brief survey with every license renewal that is completed online:

- Medical Licensing Board
- State Board of Nursing
- State Board of Dentistry
- Behavioral Health & Human Services Licensing Board
- State Psychology Board
- Board of Pharmacy

Questions to be asked include:

- Practitioner's specialty or field of practice
- Location or address of current practice
- Setting type of current practice
- Average hours worked weekly
- Health care services provided
- Practitioner's education background and training
- Whether practitioner delivers health care services through telemedicine

Reports will be prepared for the following entities:

- Office of Medicaid Policy and Planning
- Department of Workforce Development
- Commission on Improving the Status of Children in Indiana
- Legislative Council
- Office of the Attorney General

Also specifies notice requirements for network health care providers that make referrals via telephone to out-of-network health care providers.

Rationale: Indiana does not have complete data on gaps in services for medical, substance use, and mental health. This survey would obtain the necessary information to be used for obtaining resources such as Health Professional Shortage Area funding to incentives professionals to serve in those designated areas. Gathering this information gives greater detail into the types of services provided, including the geographic location of the services, and whether telemedicine is a service provided by the practice. The required reports can then be used to create a plan for how to address the service shortage areas based on federal and state resources and funding.

[SEA224 Behavioral Health and Human Services](#)

Author: Senator Randy Head

Sponsor: Representative David Frizzell

Summary: Provides that up to 50% of supervised clinical work experience hours required after receiving a graduate degree in social work, marriage and family therapy, mental health counseling, or addiction counseling may be virtual supervision with a qualified supervisor. Reduces the number of clinical practicum, internship, or field experience in a counseling setting from 1,000 to 700 for students in a mental health counseling degree program. Reduces the number of required face to face client contact hours for a marriage and family therapist license from 500 to 400.

Rationale: In certain areas, particularly rural, around the state, qualified supervisors are not easily accessible to meet with for weekly in-person supervision. This bill will allow greater flexibility in accessing supervision through virtual methods. These requirements fall in line with those in 30 other states and at least one accrediting body for counseling programs; it makes it easier for persons graduating with a Master's degree in Counseling to obtain an Indiana license to practice and reduces the number of persons leaving Indiana to practice in other states that accept this accreditation.

[SEA225 Continuing Education Requirements](#)

Author: Senator Randy Head

Sponsor: Representative Cindy Kirchhofer

Summary: Provides that licensed medical practitioners who register or reregister to dispense or prescribe opioids to complete two hours of continuing education on opioid prescribing and opioid abuse. All courses must be approved by the board that regulates the

practitioner or offered by an approved organization. Requires Indiana Professional Licensing Agency to maintain a list of resources to complete this training.

Rationale: *Currently, medical practitioners are not required to participate in any training or continuing education regarding opioid abuse or prescribing practices. This bill will ensure that all practitioners are knowledgeable about best practices to reduce and prevent opioid addiction.*

[SEA230 Suicide Prevention](#)

Author: Senator Randy Head

Sponsor: Representative Julie Olthoff

Summary: Changes language from “evidence” to “research” based training programs that are demonstrated to be effective or promising. Removes the national program registries of Suicide Prevention Resource Center (SPRC) and National Registry of Evidence-based Programs and Practices (NREPP) of the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA). Replaces SPRC and NREPP with the Indiana Suicide Prevention Network Advisory Council (ISPAC) and references that they are the entity to work with the Division of Mental Health and Addiction and the Department of Education to determine what suicide prevention programs to recommend to schools and communities.

Rationale: *Do not want to omit programs currently being used in Indiana that are promising programs but have not yet reached “evidence-based” status. SPRC requested to be removed from our statute and NREPP no longer exists within SAMHSA. ISPAC is a state-wide entity comprised of stakeholders who work in the field of suicide prevention and intervention and have in-depth knowledge of programs and practices that are effective in addition to implementing those programs within their local communities.*

[SB339 Controlled Substance Dispensing](#)

Author: Senator Jim Merritt

Summary: Requires a pharmacy to offer a locking vial for the sale of a Schedule II controlled drug (including opioids).

Rationale: *This bill was intended to prevent the unauthorized use of a medication by anyone other than the patient for whom it was prescribed. The bill passed out of the Senate Civil Law committee, but died on 2nd Reading in the Senate, in part due to concerns about costs passed on to consumers, pharmacies, and drug manufacturers as well as difficulties opening the vials by persons with mobility and dexterity issues.*

2018 ENACTED LEGISLATION



BUDGET & TAXES

HEA1001 SCHOOL FUNDING (SIEGRIST S) Requires the budget agency to transfer from the K-12 state tuition reserve account to the state general fund the amount necessary to cover the K-12 state tuition distribution amount if it exceeds the appropriated amount. Limits the transfer to \$25,000,000 in state fiscal year 2017-2018 and \$75,000,000 for state fiscal year 2018-2019. Requires school corporations to report information about virtual education programs to the department of education. Requires a pupil to be at least five years of age on August 1 of the school year to be included in the ADM count for kindergarten pupils.

3/19/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S) yeas 47, nays 0

3/13/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 94, nays 0

HEA1002 WORKFORCE FUNDING AND PROGRAMS (HUSTON T) Requires an annual workforce related program review by the legislative services agency. Requires information on workforce related programs as part of the biennial budget report that is submitted to the governor and budget committee for preparation of the governor's proposed budget bill. Establishes the next level jobs employer training grant program. Revises eligibility criteria for applicants for high value workforce ready credit-bearing grants. Provides that if the demand for high value workforce ready credit-bearing grants exceeds the appropriation, the commission for higher education shall prioritize applicants who are classified as independent. Transforms Ivy Tech Community College's regional boards of trustees to campus boards of trustees. Adds provisions concerning the appointment, number, and terms of trustees serving on the state board of trustees of Ivy Tech. Provides that an emancipated student or the parent of a student enrolled in a career or technical course may voluntarily release information, on a form prescribed by the department of education, pertaining to the student's enrollment in the career and technical education course to potential employers that contact the school to recruit students with particular career and technical skills. Requires the state board of education, when establishing an apprenticeship as a graduation pathway requirement, to establish as an apprenticeship only an apprenticeship program registered under the federal National Apprenticeship Act or another federal apprenticeship program administered by the United States Department of Labor. Specifies that an individual who is enrolled as a part-time postsecondary student, regardless of whether a part-time student is qualified to receive an adult student grant, may participate in the employment aid readiness network (EARN) Indiana program. Requires at least 25% of the money appropriated by the general assembly for adult education or the work Indiana program to be used: (1) to reimburse an eligible provider for adult education that is provided to individuals who need education in basic skills or necessary to receive a high school diploma or an Indiana high school equivalency diploma; or (2) for adult education grants to employers. Provides that an employer is eligible for an adult education grant equal to the lesser of \$500 or the employer's out-of-pocket expenditures for each eligible employee who obtains a high school diploma or a high school equivalency diploma through a program organized or funded by the employer. Specifies criteria for an individual to be an eligible employee of an employer that is eligible for an adult education grant. Requires educational institutions offering programs subject to approval by the Indiana state board of nursing to obtain approval from the board for proprietary education. Exempts those educational institutions from obtaining accreditation as postsecondary proprietary educational institutions from the department of workforce development. Provides that until July 1, 2021, certain individuals with a bachelor's degree may serve as a nursing faculty member in an associate degree nursing program without yet having obtained a master's degree. Requires the office of the secretary of family and social services and the Indiana department of transportation to perform a coordinated study on leveraging money for transportation to workforce related programs. Urges the legislative council to assign to an appropriate interim study committee the question of whether the state should submit a combined state plan instead of a unified state plan to the United States Department of Labor when the state submits a new Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act plan.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S) yeas 48, nays 0

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H) yeas 99, nays 0

HEA1316 (ss) TAXES AND HIGHER EDUCATION BONDING (BROWN T) Provides a sales tax exemption for sales of the following property by a public library (or a charitable organization formed to support a public library): (1) Items in the library's circulated and publicly available collections, including items from the library's holdings. (2) Items that would typically be included in the library's circulated and publicly available collections and that are donated by individuals or organizations to a public library (or to a charitable organization formed to support a public library). Provides that a taxpayer that is entitled to one or more specified economic development tax credits for the 2017 taxable year may elect to carry forward all or any portion of those credits and instead apply the tax credits in the 2018 taxable year. Requires a taxpayer to make an election in order to carry forward the tax credit. Makes

changes to the state income tax laws to conform in part to the latest version of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC), to modify the net operating loss carryover period, the earned income tax credit, and the interest expense deduction. Adds a deduction for certain contributions to capital under Section 118 of the IRC. Provides that the department of revenue may waive interest and penalties if the general assembly enacts a change in a listed tax for a tax period that increases a taxpayer's tax liability for that listed tax after the due date for that listed tax and tax period. Specifies that such a waiver shall apply only to the extent of the increase in tax liability and only for a period not exceeding 60 days after the change is enacted. Provides that in 2018, the state income tax credit for contributions to a college choice 529 education savings plan (529 plan) that will be used to pay for qualified K-12 education expenses is equal to the lesser of: (A) \$500; or (B) 10% multiplied by the amount of the total contributions that will be used to pay for qualified K-12 education expenses. Provides that the credit for all contributions is subject to the \$1,000 overall annual limit in existing law. Provides that in 2019 and thereafter, contributions to a 529 plan that will be used to pay for qualified K-12 education expenses are eligible for the 20% credit (but are subject to the \$1,000 overall annual limit in existing law). Provides that qualified K-12 education expenses means expenses that are for tuition in connection with enrollment or attendance at an elementary or secondary public, private, or religious school located in Indiana and are permitted under Section 529 of the Internal Revenue Code. Provides that beginning in 2019 a person making a contribution to or a withdrawal from a 529 plan must designate whether the contribution or withdrawal will be used for higher education or K-12 purposes (qualified purposes include tuition in connection with enrollment or attendance at an elementary or secondary public, private, or religious school located in Indiana). Provides that the credit does not apply to money that is credited to the 529 plan and then transferred to an ABL account. Changes the date that the trustees of certain state educational institutions may issue and sell certain bonds authorized in the 2017 budget bill. Makes technical corrections.

5/14/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

5/14/2018 – Third reading passed; yeas 40, nays 8

5/14/2018 – Third reading passed; yeas 75, nays 22



CHILD SAFETY

HEA1017 NEWBORN SCREENING (GUTWEIN D) Adds spinal muscular atrophy and severe combined immunodeficiency to the list of disorders in the newborn screening requirements.

3/8/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 50, nays 0

1/29/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 96, nays 0

HEA1024 HEAT PREPAREDNESS TRAINING FOR COACHES (BACON R) Provides that head coaches and assistant coaches who coach interscholastic sports or intramural sports must complete a certified coaching education course that includes content for prevention of or response to heat related medical issues that may arise from a student athlete's training.

3/8/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 40, nays 10

1/25/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 91, nays 0

HEA1248 CHILD SAFETY ALERTS (NEGELE S) Specifies that missing endangered children are included in the silver alert program. Defines "missing endangered child" as a missing child who is incapable of returning to the missing child's residence because of physical or mental incapacities. Specifies that state police department guidelines may require that reports of a missing endangered child be sent to broadcasters and electronic billboard operators electronically or by other means of communication.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/7/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 93, nays 0

3/5/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0

HEA1287 NEWBORN SCREENINGS (VANNATTER H) Establishes when a blood sample must be taken from a newborn infant for testing for certain disorders. Provides that the time requirement for taking a blood sample does not apply to preterm infants or newborn infants who receive a total exchange blood transfusion.

3/8/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/20/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0

1/23/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 96, nays 0

HEA1311 MOTOR VEHICLE MATTERS (SOLIDAY E) Establishes the department of state revenue pilot program (pilot program). Specifies that the purpose of the pilot program is to assist the state, other states, and other government agencies with: (1) the administration and processing of commercial vehicle registrations as required under the International Registration Plan; (2) the

licensing and reporting of fuel tax use for motor carriers under the International Fuel Tax Agreement; (3) audit and record keeping for the International Registration Plan and the International Fuel Tax Agreement; and (4) any other essential or necessary functions related to the motor carrier services. Establishes the pilot program fund to assist with the implementation and administration of the pilot program. Requires the valuation of a motor vehicle to be based upon the vehicle's model year. Requires the county surtax for a motor vehicle to be based upon a vehicle's model year. Provides that the following terms may appear on the title of a motor vehicle registration in certain instances: (1) Replica vehicle. (2) Reconstructed vehicle. (3) Specialty reconstructed vehicle. Allows the bureau to determine how special identification numbers should read. Exempts a motor vehicle that is: (1) owned or leased by certain postsecondary educational institutions; and (2) used for official business purposes; from certain registration fees. Repeals the statutory definition of "Indiana firefighter". Requires the bureau to consult with the Professional Firefighters Union of Indiana and the Indiana Firefighters Association concerning the design of the Indiana firefighter special group license plate. Removes the National Football League franchised football team license plate from the special group license plate program. Allows a police officer to charge a fee for title and vehicle identification number (VIN) inspections in certain instances. Specifies that a fee related to a title or VIN inspection performed by a police officer may not exceed \$5. Specifies that revenue generated by a fee related to a police officer's inspection of a title or VIN must be deposited in: (1) a special vehicle inspection fund; or (2) a local law enforcement continuing education fund. Allows the bureau to waive certain: (1) age; (2) experience; and (3) practice; requirements related to hardship waivers. Allows a motorcyclist who: (1) is not less than 16 years and 90 days of age; and (2) has successfully completed a motorcycle safety education course; or who is 16 years and 270 days of age to receive a motorcycle endorsement. Allows the bureau to waive certain vision and vision testing requirements related to learner's permits and driver's licenses if the applicant provides evidence from a licensed ophthalmologist or licensed optometrist demonstrating an ability to operate a motor vehicle in a manner that does not jeopardize individuals or property. Provides that a licensed ophthalmologist or licensed optometrist may not be civilly or criminally liable for a report made in good faith to the bureau concerning a person's fitness to operate a motor vehicle. Adds: (1) parents; (2) legal guardians; and (3) grandparents; to the list of individuals who may be transported by a probationary driver. Allows certain credentials to be renewed 24 months prior to the expiration of the credential. Creates a rebuttable presumption of knowledge for all driver's license suspensions when: (1) a notice; or (2) an order; concerning the suspension of an individual's driving privileges are mailed to the last known address of the individual. Requires affidavits pertaining to flood damaged vehicles to be kept and maintained by a dealer. Defines the term "fee" as any money assessed or collected by the bureau. Allows the bureau to refund certain fees. Allows disbursements from a municipal special fund to be used to defray the cost and maintenance expenses associated with the operation of a municipally owned park where parking meters are located.

3/19/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/7/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 93, nays 0

3/5/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0

SEA12 SEX OFFENDERS (BOHACEK M) Provides that, unless a court has granted a waiver, a sex offender who establishes a residence: (1) with the intent to reside at the residence; (2) within a one mile radius of the residence of the victim of the offender's sex offense; and (3) knowing the location of the victim's residence; commits invasion of privacy. Prohibits a sex offender from attending a house of worship located on school property while classes, extracurricular activities, or other school activities are being held.

3/16/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/12/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 26, nays 20

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 91, nays 0

SEA60 OUT OF STATE SEX OR VIOLENT OFFENDERS (ZAKAS J) Provides that a failure to register as a sex or violent offender for an offense originating from another jurisdiction is a Level 5 felony in certain instances.

3/13/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 91, nays 0

1/23/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0

SEA340 REGULATION OF ABORTION AND NEWBORN SAFETY DEVICES (HOLDMAN T) Makes various changes to the abortion law concerning abortion clinic license applications, abortion clinic inspections, abortion inducing drugs, abortion complications, the provision of information to a woman seeking an abortion, and the collection of data by the state department of health. Specifies under the safe haven law that it is a defense to a claim of neglect of a dependent if the individual left the child in a newborn safety device that is located at a fire department, including a volunteer fire department, that meets specified requirements. Provides civil immunity for a fire department that operates a newborn safety device for an act or omission relating to the device: (1) if the device meets specified requirements; and (2) unless the act or omission constitutes gross negligence or willful or wanton misconduct.

3/25/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/7/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 37, nays 9

2/28/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 67, nays 26

SEA360 PERINATAL LEVELS OF CARE DESIGNATION CERTIFICATION (CHARBONNEAU E) Requires the state department of health to establish a program to certify perinatal levels of care designations for licensed hospitals and birthing centers that provide birthing services. Specifies requirements that must be met in order to operate as a perinatal center. Allows perinatal centers to perform peer review for the perinatal center, other hospitals, and other birthing centers that provide birthing services.

3/7/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/20/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 95, nays 0

1/23/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0



CHILD WELFARE/ JUVENILE JUSTICE

HEA1091 INFORMATION FOR PROSPECTIVE ADOPTIVE PARENT (BURTON W) Requires the licensed child placing agency or local office that will conduct an inspection and submit a report to the court concerning a petition to adopt a child to provide and explain to a child's current foster parent and prospective adoptive parent a document containing contact information for individuals employed by the licensed child placing agency or local office in a supervisory capacity.

3/8/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/26/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 48, nays 0

1/30/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 94, nays 0

HEA1228 DATA CONCERNING YOUTH IN ADULT COURT (MCNAMARA W) Requires the criminal justice institute to: (1) track certain information concerning juveniles under the jurisdiction of an adult court due to a juvenile court not having jurisdiction; (2) track certain information concerning waivers of juvenile court jurisdiction; and (3) publish the information annually.

3/19/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/7/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 93, nays 0

3/6/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0

HEA1406 DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SERVICES (MAYFIELD P) Provides for the collection of certain past due annual support fees by the child support bureau (bureau) and the clerk of the circuit court. Allows the bureau to collect child support payments made in cash. Allows the bureau and the clerk of the circuit court to recoup certain child support overpayments. Specifies the duties of a licensing authority when imposing sanctions and penalties against a licensee or permit holder with a child support delinquency who is the subject of an order issued by the bureau. Repeals a requirement that an individual determined to be eligible for unemployment compensation self-disclose a child support obligation. Provides that the department of child services may: (1) initiate an action to determine paternity for a child who is the subject of a child in need of services proceeding; or (2) refer the case to the local prosecuting attorney's office to file a paternity action. Urges the legislative council to assign for study to an appropriate interim study committee the task of studying topics related to: (1) the adequacy of the statewide computer system used by the department of child services to monitor receipt and disbursement of child support payments; and (2) the estimated cost to update or replace the statewide computer system.

3/19/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/8/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 81, nays 0

3/1/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 48, nays 0

SEA128 CHANGE OF PLACEMENT OF A CHILD IN NEED OF SERVICES (HEAD R) Requires that, before changing the out-of-home placement of a child who has been in the same out-of-home placement for at least one year, the department of child services (department) must file a motion requesting a change in placement and provide notice to the persons affected. Sets forth the procedures for the department to follow if the department determines the out-of-home placement of the child is placing the child's life or health in imminent danger. Requires the juvenile court to hold a hearing on the question if the person with whom the child is placed files a written objection to the motion.

3/16/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/5/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 93, nays 0

1/23/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0

SEA135 DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SERVICES NOTIFICATIONS FOR SCHOOLS (BOHACEK M) Requires the department of child services to notify the individual designated as the point of contact for a child's school if the child is removed from the child's home. Provides immunity from civil liability for: (1) a guardian ad litem program; (2) a court appointed special advocate program; (3) an employee of or volunteer for a guardian ad litem program or court appointed special advocate program; and (4) an individual acting as a

contracted guardian ad litem; when a child is placed on a waiting list for guardian ad litem or court appointed special advocate services.

3/16/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/12/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 46, nays 0

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 97, nays 0

SEA179 CHILD SUPPORT (BRAY R) Provides that incarceration of a parent may not be considered to be voluntary unemployment in determining an amount to be ordered for support of a child. Provides that a court may modify the child support order, or approve a proposed modification, without holding a hearing if: (1) a petition to modify a child support order based on incarceration of a party is filed; and (2) after receiving notice, no party files an objection or request for a hearing within 30 days. Requires the child support bureau (bureau), beginning July 1, 2019, to notify both parties of each party's right to request a modification of the child support order not later than fifteen (15) days after learning that an obligor in a Title IV-D case is or may be incarcerated for a period of at least one hundred eighty (180) calendar days. Requires a prosecuting attorney or private attorney entering into an agreement or a contract with the bureau to review all requests for modification of child support due to the incarceration of an obligor within an open Title IV-D case and, if appropriate, file a petition for modification of child support and proposed order in the appropriate court.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/7/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 45, nays 1

3/1/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 92, nays 0

SEA184 MAXIMUM NUMBER OF FOSTER CHILDREN (ZAY A) Increases from five to six the number of children who may be supervised in a foster family home.

3/7/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/20/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 92, nays 0

1/23/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0

SEA233 FOSTER PARENT BILL OF RIGHTS (FORD J) Requires the department of child services (department), in collaboration with: (1) current foster parents; (2) child placing agencies; and (3) other individuals and organizations with expertise in foster care services; to develop and update a statement of the rights of a foster parent. Requires that the statement of the rights of a foster parent summarize the rights and responsibilities of a foster parent. Requires the department to distribute and publish on the department's Internet web site the statement of the rights of a foster parent.

3/7/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/20/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 94, nays 0

1/25/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 48, nays 0

SEA381 CHILDREN IN NEED OF SERVICES (MESSMER M) Provides that a child who is: (1) a victim of certain offenses; and (2) unlikely to receive necessary care, treatment, or rehabilitation without the intervention of the court; is a child in need of services. Provides that a child who: (1) lives in the same household as an adult who committed an offense against another child who lives in the household that resulted in a conviction or judgment; or (2) lives in the same household as an adult who has been charged with an offense against another child who lives in the household and is awaiting trial; and is unlikely to receive necessary care, treatment, or rehabilitation without the intervention of the court is a child in need of services.

3/14/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 93, nays 0

2/5/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 47, nays 0

SEA402 JUVENILE REPORTS (BECKER V) Requires certain reports concerning juveniles be provided at least 48 hours before a hearing.

3/13/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/1/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 94, nays 0

2/6/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 47, nays 0

SEA428 DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SERVICES (ZAY A) Requires the department of child services (department) to describe in a child's case plan any efforts made by the department to coordinate with school officials in developing the case plan, if efforts to coordinate with school officials are made. Requires the department to provide information to the court to be made part of the court record if the department receives information that indicates that a parent, guardian, or custodian may have violated a dispositional order.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/1/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 48, nays 0

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 95, nays 0

SEA431 IMMUNITY FOR REPORTS OF SUSPECTED ABUSE OR NEGLECT (BROWN L) Provides immunity from civil and criminal liability for: (1) a person who assists with or participates; and (2) a health care provider who provides professional intervention; in an investigation by the department of child services resulting from a report that a child may be a victim of child abuse or neglect. Provides that the immunity provisions do not apply (1) to actions brought against qualified health care providers for medical malpractice; or (2) for a person who has acted with gross negligence or willful or wanton misconduct. Provides that: (1) an adult protective services unit conducting an investigation; or (2) a department of child services (department) caseworker conducting an assessment; who observes, or has reason to believe, that an animal is a victim of animal cruelty, abandonment, or neglect may make a report to the local law enforcement agency or local animal control officer. Provides that: (1) an adult protective services unit; or (2) a department caseworker; who makes a report of animal cruelty, abandonment, or neglect is immune from civil and criminal liability.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/6/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 49, nays 0

3/1/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 96, nays 0



VOTES ON ENACTED LEGISLATION – BUDGET, CHILD SAFETY, CHILD WELFARE & JUVENILE JUSTICE

	Budget & Taxes				Child Safety							Child Welfare/Juvenile Justice												
	1001	1002	1316	1017	1024	1248	1287	1311	12	60	340	360	1091	1228	1406	128	135	179	233	381	402	428	431	
Senate																								
Ron Alting (R-22)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Eric Bossler (R-39)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Yvonne Becker (R-50)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Michael Bohacek (R-8)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Philip Boots (R-23)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rodric Bray (R-37)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jean Breaux (D-34)	NV	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y
Liz Brown (R-15)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Brian Buchanan (R-7)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
James Buck (R-21)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ed Charbonneau (R-5)	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E
John Crane (R-24)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Michael Crider (R-28)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Michael Delph (R-29)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Blake Donat (R-12)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Douglas Eckert (R-26)	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jan Ford (R-38)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Aaron Freeman (R-32)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Susan Glick (R-13)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ronald Grooms (R-46)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Randall Head (R-18)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Travis Holman (R-19)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Erin Howarth (R-47)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Eric Koch (R-44)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dennis Kruse (R-14)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Timothy Lange (D-25)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jean Leising (R-42)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
David Long (R-16)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Eddie Melton (D-3)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
James Merritt (R-31)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mark Messmer (R-48)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ryan Mishler (R-9)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Frank Moran (D-1)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rick Niemeyer (R-6)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
David Niezgodski (D-10)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Chip Perfect (R-43)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jeff Rogatz (R-27)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lonnie Randolph (D-2)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y
John Ruckelshaus (R-30)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

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Milo Smith (R-59)	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Vernon Smith (D-14)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	NV	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Edmond Spillady (R-4)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mike Speedy (R-90)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Steven Stenler (D-71)	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	E	E	E	E	Y	Y	E	Y	E	E	E	E	E	E	E
Gregory Steuerwald (R-40)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	E	Y	E
Halli Sullivan (R-78)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Vanessa Summers (D-99)	Y	Y	N	E	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Joe Taylor (D-7)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jeffrey Thompson (R-28)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jerry Tarr (R-39)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Heath VanNatter (R-38)	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Thomas Washburne (R-64)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Timothy Wesco (R-21)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
David Walkins (R-18)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Melanie Wright (D-35)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
John Young (R-47)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dennis Zentz (R-51)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cindy Ziemke (R-55)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

* Note: Senator Brian Buchanan was sworn in during the second half of session and therefore did not vote on all of the bills in final passage. Representative David Abbott replaced outgoing Representative David Ober and only voted for passage of bills during the special session.



EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

HEA1073 CHILD CARE LOCATION AND SAFETY (OLTHOFF J) Includes other weapons among the items that must be inaccessible to children in the care of certain child care providers, and amends accordingly the child care law concerning the list of imminent threats to children. Allows the division of family resources to waive the one year period after revocation during which a person may not apply for or be granted another license. Requires a child care provider to provide documentation from the county, city, or town that: (1) the child care provider meets all requirements of any applicable local ordinances; or (2) a business permit or license is not required by a local ordinance.

3/8/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/19/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 50, nays 0

1/30/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 94, nays 0

SEA187 CHILD CARE (HOLDMAN T) Specifies civil penalties for violations by child care providers of safe sleep related requirements. Requires deposit of all civil penalties in the division of family resources child care fund. Specifies that a child care ministry registration expires two years after issuance. Provides an administrative procedure for child care ministry application and registration denial, suspension, and revocation.

3/13/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 96, nays 0

1/23/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0



EDUCATION

HEA1047 EDUCATION BENEFITS FOR VETERANS (WESCO T) Excludes from the determination of financial eligibility for need based financial aid certain benefits received by veteran students. Provides for state educational institution students who are members of the Indiana National Guard, the National Guard of a state contiguous to Indiana, the reserves, or armed forces who are on active duty or are called to active duty during an academic term to receive: (1) a tuition refund or credit; or (2) reenrollment in courses not completed due to active duty status.

3/8/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/26/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 48, nays 0

1/18/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 95, nays 0

HEA1074 VARIOUS HIGHER EDUCATION MATTERS (SULLIVAN H) Provides that the provisions regarding employment of construction managers as constructors for public works projects applies only to state educational institutions after June 30, 2020. (Current law expires these provisions on July 1, 2020.) Makes changes regarding the: (1) conditions required to qualify for the renewal of a twenty-first century scholars program scholarship; and (2) award amounts to twenty-first century scholars program scholarship applicants who attend a private, approved postsecondary educational institution. Makes the following changes concerning the primary care shortage area scholarship: (1) Amends the practice requirements to receive a scholarship. (2) Amends the repayment requirements for noncompliance with a primary care practice agreement. (3) Allows the commission for higher education (commission) to impose and collect interest on unpaid repayment amounts. (4) Provides that, if the commission and a recipient of a scholarship enter into a new written agreement that complies with the primary care shortage area scholarship provisions, the commission and the recipient may terminate an agreement entered into or renewed before July 1, 2018. Requires the chairperson of the commission to appoint a: (1) seven member student member nominating committee; and (2) seven member faculty member nominating committee. (Current law requires the chairperson to appoint a ten member nominating committee of five student members and five faculty members.) Provides that an applicant who: (1) does not maintain satisfactory academic progress required to be eligible for a high value workforce ready credit-bearing grant; but (2) meets other certain conditions; is still eligible for the grant. Modifies the procedures that a state educational institution must use to dispose of real estate (including any real estate acquired by gift, bequest, or devise). Repeals certain statutes concerning: (1) the disposition of gifts, bequests, and devises of real estate to state educational institutions; and (2) matters that pertain to the closing process in the disposition of real estate by a state educational institution.

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3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 47, nays 1

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 99, nays 0

HEA1167 SCHOOL CORPORATION FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT (COOK A) Permits money in a school corporation's operations fund at the end of a year to be transferred to the school corporation's rainy day fund. Combines various levies into a single operations fund levy beginning in 2019. Changes provisions concerning the education fund and operations fund. Specifies the items to be included in a school corporation's capital projects plan. Changes the reasons for which a school corporation may appeal to increase the school corporation's operations fund levy for transportation purposes. Requires an appeal to increase or a petition to adjust the maximum operations fund levy for a year to be filed before October 20 of the preceding year. Resolves conflicts among various 2017 acts that take effect before the education funding and accounting changes made by HEA 1009-2017. Provides that the governing body of a school corporation may transfer amounts that are levied for the debt service fund to cover unreimbursed costs of certain curricular materials to the curricular materials rental fund, the extracurricular account, or the education fund. Provides that in carrying out a curricular materials rental program, the governing body may control the program through the school corporation's curricular materials rental fund or education fund.

3/19/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/6/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 92, nays 0

2/26/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 48, nays 0

HEA1230 SCHOOL SAFETY (ss) (MCNAMARA W) Provides that curriculum for the school safety specialist training and certification program must include training in identifying, preventing, and intervening in actions by a person who is present on school property with the intent to harm another person. Allows charter schools and accredited nonpublic schools to elect to comply with certain laws regarding school safety specialists, school safety plans, and safe school committees. Provides that, on or before December 1, 2018, and periodically thereafter, the secured school safety board shall conduct a review and submit a report to the legislative council. Provides that the report: (1) must provide an overview of the current status of school safety across the state; and (2) may make recommendations to improve the safety of elementary and secondary school students. Provides that a school corporation, a charter school, or a coalition of public schools applying jointly may receive an advance from the common school fund in order to make improvements to school security. Provides that the state board of education (state board), in consultation with the secured school safety board, shall administer the program. Provides that the total amount of advances that the state board may make during the state biennium beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2019, may not exceed \$35,000,000. Provides that the state board of finance shall periodically establish the rate or rates of interest payable on advances made as long as the established interest rate or rates are not less than 1% and do not exceed 4%. Provides that the term of the advance may not exceed 10 years after the date of the advance. Provides that the maximum amount of the advance that the state board may approve is the lesser of: (1) \$500,000 for a school corporation or charter school; or (2) the amount needed to cover costs approved by the secured school safety board that are in excess of the amount awarded by the secured school safety board and the amount committed as a match by the school corporation or charter school (or coalition of public schools filing jointly) that applied for the secured school fund matching grant. Provides that a charter school may provide the state board with an adequate security interest for the repayment of an advance made to the charter school. Provides that a school corporation may levy a property tax for its debt service fund and transfer those revenues to the school corporation's general fund (before January 1, 2019) or education fund (after December 31, 2018). Requires the department of education (department) to maintain a link on the department's Internet web site providing parents and school officials with resources or best practices regarding the prevention and reporting of bullying and cyberbullying. Requires the state board and school corporations to maintain an Internet link to the department's Internet web site on their Internet web sites. Requires the department to maintain a link on the department's Internet web site regarding the identification and reporting of human trafficking. Requires certain employees of a school corporation or an accredited nonpublic school to receive at least one hour of inservice training every two years pertaining to the identification and reporting of human trafficking. Provides that a school corporation's disciplinary rules pertaining to bullying must prohibit bullying through the use of data or computer software that is accessed through a computer or through a cellular telephone or other wireless or cellular communications device. (Current law provides that a school corporation's disciplinary rules pertaining to bullying must prohibit bullying through the use of data or computer software that is accessed through a computer.) Requires the department to conduct a statewide needs assessment survey concerning student service providers and how schools are addressing the social and emotional needs of students. Requires each charter school and accredited nonpublic school to: (1) adopt a local school safety and emergency plan; and (2) provide a copy of the floor plans for each building located on the school's property to the law enforcement agency and the fire department that have jurisdiction over the school. Provides that a school that has one or more employees may barricade or block a door for a period not to exceed three minutes in the event of an unplanned fire alarm activation in order for a designated school official to investigate the alarm. Provides that the period may be extended in the event that an active shooter has been verified to be on the school's property. Provides that not later than August 1, 2019, an audit should be conducted for each school corporation that includes a review of each school's safety plan and an onsite review of the school corporation. Provides that the department's division of school building physical security and safety (division) is primarily responsible for overseeing the audits. Provides that the division may request the voluntary assistance of the department of homeland security, the state police department, and any appropriate state or local law enforcement agency necessary to complete the audits. Provides that, with the approval of the governor and the budget agency, the amount appropriated by HEA 1001-2017 for the Indiana safe schools fund for the state fiscal year beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, may be augmented from the state general fund in an amount specified by the budget agency, but not to

exceed \$1,000,000 and the Indiana criminal justice institute shall transfer an amount equal to the amount augmented by the budget agency to the department for the purpose of providing training to school safety specialists and conducting the audits. Provides that, not later than August 1, 2019, each charter school authorizer, in consultation with the division, shall conduct an audit of the charter school's safety plan for each charter school authorized by the authorizer. Provides that, on or before August 1, 2018, the state fire marshal, in consultation with the department, shall send written guidance to each school that has one or more employees that describes how a school may apply current fire safety requirements for an unplanned fire alarm activation in order to provide security to students and school staff in the event of a potential manmade disaster situation. Provides that, with the approval of the governor and the budget agency, the amount appropriated by HEA 1001-2017 for the Indiana secured school fund may be augmented from the state general fund in an amount not to exceed \$5,000,000.

5/14/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

5/14/2018 – Third reading passed; yeas 47, nays 1

5/14/2018 – Third reading passed; yeas 96, nays 1

HEA1242 RESIDENT TUITION FOR SERVING ON THE USS INDIANA (BAIRD J) Provides that, after June 30, 2019, certain persons who serve or served on the USS Indiana (SSN-789) are eligible for the resident tuition rate determined by the state educational institution.

3/19/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/8/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 80, nays 0

3/6/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 35, nays 14

HEA1314 STUDENTS IN FOSTER CARE AND HOMELESS STUDENTS (DEVON D) Requires the state board of education to, in collaboration with the department of education (department) and the department of child services, annually prepare and submit the following: (1) A report on foster care youth educational outcomes. (2) A report on homeless youth educational outcomes. Requires the department to develop and submit a copy of the following: (1) A remediation plan concerning foster care youth. (2) A remediation plan concerning homeless youth. Requires certain information regarding students in foster care to be included in a school corporation's annual performance report. Requires the department and the department of child services to enter into a memorandum of understanding that, at a minimum, requires the department of child services to share with the department, at least one time each month, disaggregated information regarding youth in foster care that is sufficient to allow the department to identify students in foster care. Repeals, for purposes of provisions concerning the transportation of a homeless student to a school of origin, a provision that provides "homeless student" includes a student who is awaiting placement in foster care.

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3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 47, nays 1

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 98, nays 0

HEA1315 SCHOOL CORPORATION FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT (ss) (BROWN T) Allows the distressed unit appeal board (DUAB) to delegate board authority, duties, and responsibilities to the DUAB executive director by resolution of the board. Allows the DUAB to adopt rules. Requires the attorney general to represent a member of the distressed unit appeal board, a member of the fiscal management board, an emergency manager, a chief financial officer, or a chief academic officer if the individual requests the representation. Specifies restrictions on school corporations that are designated distressed. Specifies that waivers regarding the allocation of protected taxes apply only to distressed school corporations and not other distressed units. Authorizes the emergency manager of a distressed school corporation to cancel any employee's contract or terminate an employee's employment as part of a reduction in force. Provides that notification for a reduction in force of: (1) certificated employees may be delivered after September 30 and before November 1 of the contract year; and (2) noncertificated employees may be delivered at any time. Specifies that the maximum reduction in force of certificated employees under this provision may not exceed 5% of the full-time equivalency for all employees for the school corporation as of September 1. Requires the emergency manager to provide any certificated employee whose contract is being canceled with notice at least 90 days before the effective date of the cancellation. Permits only the emergency manager to petition the DUAB to terminate a political subdivision's distressed status. Makes changes concerning the Gary Community School Corporation and its operation. Converts the Gary Community School Corporation's governing board to an advisory board. Provides that the advisory board may not hold a public meeting more often than once every three months. Provides that the advisory board may hold additional meetings that are authorized as executive sessions under the open door law. Specifies that the advisory board may vote to fill vacancies, select officers, and make appointments of the advisory board. Deletes from current law the requirements: (1) that the emergency manager for the Gary Community School Corporation must consult with the fiscal management board and the governing body; and (2) that the emergency manager for the Gary Community School Corporation must consult with the mayor, the fiscal management board, and the governing body when developing the school corporation's annual budget and developing a financial plan, and provides that the emergency manager shall consider any recommendations from these entities. Requires the chief financial officer and chief academic officer to submit a quarterly report to the advisory board. Provides that when the emergency manager submits the school corporation's proposed annual budget to the distressed unit appeal board, the emergency manager shall provide copies of the proposed annual budget to the fiscal management board and the

advisory board. Removes the laws concerning the Muncie Community school corporation being a fiscally impaired school corporation. Permits the Ball State University board of trustees to adopt a resolution to govern the Muncie Community school corporation using a newly appointed seven member governing body. Requires certain members of the governing body to reside in the Muncie Community school corporation district. Specifies that the governing body serving on June 30, 2018, shall become on July 1, 2018, an advisory board to the governing body appointed by the President and board of trustees of Ball State University. Requires the governing body to engage academically innovative strategies. Specifies that only certain laws in IC 20 will apply to the Muncie Community school corporation. Specifies other conditions. Provides that during the period beginning July 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2020, the DUAB may provide financial support to the Muncie Community school corporation in an amount that does not exceed the amount of compensation that would have been provided to an emergency manager of the school corporation if the school corporation had retained the designation of a distressed political subdivision (but not more than \$1,000,000). Permits the DUAB to recommend to the state board of finance that the state board of finance make an interest free loan to the Muncie Community school corporation. Establishes a fiscal and qualitative indicators committee (committee) to make determinations about the fiscal and qualitative factors to be used in analyzing the financial condition of school corporations. Specifies certain factors that may be used. Requires the committee to make determinations about the presentation of the factors to the public and the frequency of updates. Requires the DUAB to present school financial condition information on its Internet web site or the management performance hub Internet web site. Sets minimum standards for presenting the information. Requires the committee to publish before January 1, 2019, the fiscal and qualitative indicators for each school corporation on the DUAB's Internet web site or the management performance hub's Internet web site. Requires the DUAB executive director to present a report to the state budget committee concerning the processes that will be used by the DUAB and the executive director to do the following: (1) Identify school corporations that demonstrate signs of financial distress. (2) Determine when a corrective action plan is necessary for a school corporation. (3) Determine the conditions that must be satisfied before a school corporation will no longer be subject to a corrective action plan and will be considered as financially healthy. Provides that before June 1, 2019, the executive director shall prepare and submit to the DUAB an initial report identifying those school corporations for which a corrective action plan may be appropriate, based on the fiscal and qualitative indicators. Requires the DUAB to consider the report and make a determination concerning which school corporations the executive director shall contact for purposes of conducting an assessment of the school corporation's financial condition. Provides that if the DUAB makes a determination that a corrective action plan is necessary for the school corporation, the DUAB shall notify the governing body and the superintendent of the school corporation that the school corporation must develop and submit a corrective action plan within 90 days. Provides that upon the request of a school corporation that is required to submit a corrective action plan, the executive director and other appropriate state departments and agencies shall assist the school corporation in developing the corrective action plan and provide technical assistance to the school corporation. Specifies that the DUAB shall place the school corporation on a watch list if: (1) the executive director determines that the school corporation is not in compliance with the school corporation's corrective action plan; (2) the executive director notifies the superintendent and governing body of the school corporation that the school corporation is not in compliance with the school corporation's corrective action plan and the school corporation must achieve compliance with the school corporation's corrective action plan within a period specified by the executive director; and (3) the executive director determines that the school corporation has not achieved compliance with the school corporation's corrective action plan within that period. Provides that all reports, correspondence, and other records related to a school corporation's corrective action plan and the placement of a school corporation on the watch list are excepted from public disclosure at the discretion of the DUAB or the school corporation unless and until the school corporation is placed on the watch list and the state budget committee has reviewed the school corporation's placement on the watch list. Specifies that the DUAB shall hold executive sessions to consider reports related to a school corporation's corrective action plan. Amends the definition of "deficit financing" for a budget year to mean, in the case of any distressed school corporation, the Gary Community School Corporation, or the Muncie Community school corporation: (1) actual expenditures; plus (2) additional payments against any outstanding debt obligations; exceeding the employer's current year actual education fund revenue. Provides that until June 30, 2018, the governing body of Gary schools, rather than the emergency manager, shall exercise the power to fill a vacancy on the governing body and make appointments on behalf of the governing body.

5/14/2018 **Signed by the Governor**

5/14/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 34, nays 14

5/14/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 63, nays 30

HEA1356 BULLYING (PORTER G) Provides that a school corporation is not required to report the number of incidents of bullying in the school corporation's annual school performance report. Provides that information reported by a school corporation relating to the number of incidents of bullying that occur may not be used in calculation of a school's annual school improvement grade. Provides that the department of education (department) must annually send notification via electronic mail or a letter to each school corporation explaining: (1) the school corporation's obligation to submit a report to the department containing the number of bullying incidents involving a student; and (2) that the department may conduct an audit of the school corporation to ensure that bullying incidents are accurately reported. Provides that the department may conduct an audit of a school corporation to ensure that bullying incidents are accurately reported. Provides that the department must report discrepancies of an audit on the department's Internet web site. Requires the department to conduct a statewide survey concerning the improvement of school

corporation reporting of incidents of bullying involving a student to the department. Requires, not later than November 1, 2018, the department to submit a report to the general assembly.

3/14/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/6/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0

2/5/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 87, nays 3

HEA 1398 COALITION OF SCHOOL CORPORATIONS AND SCHOOLS (BEHNING R) Provides that the state board of education (state board) may approve a coalition of continuous improvement school districts (coalition). Provides that certain statutes or rules may be suspended for a coalition member. Specifies that the state board may approve a plan submitted by a proposed coalition that requests the suspension of all or portions of IC 20-30 (curriculum) only if the suspension is related to a specific goal of the proposed coalition. Requires the department of education to annually report to the legislative council information regarding the following: (1) The fiscal impact on a school corporation or school that participates in a coalition. (2) The qualifications of each teacher who teaches in a coalition. (3) The type of future employment for which a student in a coalition is trained, if applicable, and the amount and terms of compensation that a student receives through a coalition's partnership with a member of business or industry. (4) The impact of a coalition member's participation in a coalition on the coalition member's graduation rates. (5) Information regarding where a student in a coalition later obtains full-time employment, if applicable.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 73, nays 25

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 36, nays 11

HEA1399 ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER CONTENT AREA LICENSES (BEHNING R) Provides that, not later than July 1, 2019, the state board of education shall adopt rules to establish elementary school teacher content area licenses that must, at a minimum, include an: (1) elementary mathematics specialist license; and (2) elementary mathematics teacher license or an elementary mathematics and science teacher license. Establishes requirements to be eligible for an elementary mathematics specialist license, an elementary mathematics teacher license, and an elementary mathematics and science teacher license. Requires the department of education (department) to develop an incentive program to assist and reward teachers who pursue and earn an elementary school teacher content area license. Provides that the department shall make recommendations to the general assembly regarding ways to accomplish the goals of the incentive program.

3/19/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/8/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 70, nays 12

3/6/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 48, nays 1

HEA1420 VARIOUS EDUCATION MATTERS (BEHNING R) Allows a person to work as a waiter or waitress at a licensed premises if: (1) the licensed premises is a restaurant operated by an accredited hospitality management program for educational purposes; (2) the person is a student enrolled in a course offered by the accredited hospitality management program; (3) the licensed premises, state educational institution, or accredited hospitality management program does not pay the person to work at the licensed premises; and (4) the person works under the supervision of an instructor employed by the state educational institution. Makes changes regarding the nomination and approval of certain members of the commission on seclusion and restraint in schools. Provides that a student with special needs who has a service plan or a choice scholarship educational plan must be received (if certain conditions in current law apply) as a student in, as applicable, the following: (1) The Indiana School for the Deaf. (2) The Indiana School for the Blind and Visually Impaired. Provides that a student who is withdrawn from enrollment from a virtual charter school for failure to participate in courses pursuant to the school's student engagement policy may not reenroll in that same virtual charter school for the school year in which the student is withdrawn. Establishes requirements regarding charter school closure protocols. Provides that a Cambridge International course may be used for the following purposes: (1) As the basis for a supplemental payment to a teacher who teaches a Cambridge International course. (2) As one of the assessments that a student plans to take voluntarily during grades 10 through 12. (3) As an additional curriculum model available to high school students. (4) As a replacement for certain high school courses on a student's high school transcript. (5) For a student's receipt of credits toward graduation by demonstrating proficiency in a course or subject area. (6) To place a student who is a child of a military family in the appropriate course when the student transfers to a new school. (7) For purposes of determining eligibility for various higher education scholarship and awards programs and amounts. Provides that each student who enrolls in a Cambridge International course may take the accompanying Cambridge International examination to receive high school credit for the Cambridge International course. Requires the department of education (department) and the state board of education (state board) to provide that a successfully completed Cambridge International course is credited toward fulfilling the requirements of an Indiana diploma with a Core 40 with academic honors designation. Provides, subject to certain conditions, that an individual or entity must submit a written notice to a public school that: (1) notifies the public school of an alleged violation of law; and (2) indicates a proposed remedy; before the individual or entity may initiate a civil action or an administrative proceeding against the public school. Establishes requirements regarding a proposed remedy. Provides that, if an individual or entity does not submit a notice to the public school before initiating a civil action or administrative proceeding, a court, administrative law judge, or hearing officer shall dismiss the civil action or administrative

proceeding without prejudice. Urges the legislative council to assign to an appropriate interim study committee the task of studying the impact of litigation on school corporations and charter schools. Provides that an issuing officer shall issue an employment certificate to a student who attends a nonaccredited nonpublic school after receiving: (1) proof of age; and (2) proof of prospective employment. Provides that a child who: (1) attends a nonaccredited nonpublic school; and (2) is seeking an employment certificate from a school the child does not attend; must present to the issuing officer an attestation from the student's parent that the student is enrolled in school. Provides that the attestation may be submitted to the issuing officer via facsimile or electronic mail. Amends provisions regarding when a child may work. Provides that a school corporation may offer cursive writing in the school corporation's curriculum. Clarifies the meaning of "school" for purposes of the work ethic certificate program. Repeals a provision concerning the transfer of student records. Resolves a conflict between P.L.217-2017 and P.L.250-2017.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 83, nays 14

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S)

HEA1421 SCHOOL DISCIPLINE (BEHNING R) Provides that the department of education's (department) model evidence based plan for improving student behavior and discipline must: (1) reduce out-of-school suspension and disproportionality in discipline and expulsion; (2) limit referrals to law enforcement or arrests on school property to cases in which referral to law enforcement or arrest is necessary to protect the health and safety of students or school employees; and (3) include policies to address instances of bullying and cyberbullying on school property of a school corporation. Provides that, beginning in the 2019-2020 school year, the department, in collaboration with parent organizations, teacher organizations, educational support professional organizations, and state educational institutions, shall, upon a school corporation's request, provide information and assistance to the school corporation regarding the implementation of the school corporation's evidence based plan to ensure that teachers and administrators receive appropriate professional development and other resources in preparation for carrying out the plan. Urges the legislative council to assign to an appropriate interim study committee the task of studying the use of positive student discipline and restorative justice practices by elementary and secondary schools. Requires the department to conduct a survey of school corporation school discipline policies to determine the extent to which positive discipline and restorative justice practices are being utilized.

3/19/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/8/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 80, nays 0

3/6/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 46, nays 3

HEA1426 EDUCATION MATTERS (BEHNING R) Urges the legislative council during the 2018 through 2020 interims to assign to the education interim study committee the task of studying issues relating to a school corporation's ability to provide adequate career counseling to students. Requires the state board of education (state board) to establish one standard Indiana diploma for individuals who successfully complete high school graduation requirements. (Current law establishes four different diplomas.) Provides that each Indiana diploma must include one of the following designations: (1) General designation. (2) Core 40 designation. (3) Core 40 with academic honors designation. (4) Core 40 with technical honors designation. Requires the state board to create an alternate diploma for students with significant cognitive disabilities. Requires, in adopting Core 40 curriculum models, the state board to consider math course requirements other than Algebra II. Requires the state board to adopt rules to establish: (1) math course requirements; and (2) science course requirements; for the Core 40 curriculum models. Provides that the graduation examination shall be administered until the 2019-2020 school year. Provides that, for each school year beginning after June 30, 2021, a high school shall administer as part of the statewide assessment a nationally recognized college entrance exam. Eliminates the requirement of end of course assessments to be administered as part of the statewide assessment program. Provides that if the state board determines that no nationally recognized college entrance exam assesses a given high school subject that is required, the state board may select another type of assessment, including an end of course assessment, for that subject. Resolves a conflict in a provision that requires the state board to develop guidelines to assist secondary schools to identify students likely to require remediation. Eliminates a requirement that a student must take a college and career readiness examination if the student is identified under the guidelines developed by the state board to likely be in need of remediation. Provides that certain statewide assessments must use a scale score that will ensure the statewide assessment scores are comparable to assessment scoring used as part of the ISTEP program, before its expiration. Adds a provision to the list of purposes for which a charter school may limit new admissions to the charter school. Repeals provisions that: (1) require the state board to design a high school diploma for the high school fast track program; and (2) establish a subcommittee to make recommendations regarding diplomas and certain course requirements and develop the requirements for a career and technical education diploma. Specifies that certain provisions of SEA 354-2018 take effect upon passage instead of taking effect on July 1, 2018.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 71, nays 25

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S)

SEA24 STUDENT POSSESSION AND USE OF SUNSCREEN (BROWN L) Provides that a student may possess and use a topical, non-aerosol sunscreen product while on school property or at a school sponsored event or activity without being required to: (1) have a physician's note or prescription; or (2) store the topical, non-aerosol sunscreen product in a specific location; if the product is regulated by the United States Food and Drug Administration for over-the-counter use for the purpose of limiting ultraviolet light-induced skin damage. Allows school personnel to assist a student in applying the sunscreen if the school has written permission from the student's parent or guardian. Provides certain civil immunity for school corporations, schools, and school personnel for any action taken to comply with the sunscreen provisions.

3/7/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/19/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 94, nays 2

21/23/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 45, nays 4

SEA43 RACIAL BALANCE LEVY AND FUND (LONG D) Repeals provisions regarding the racial balance levy and the racial balance fund. Provides that any money in a school corporation's racial balance fund on January 1, 2019, must be transferred to the school corporation's operations fund.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/5/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 91, nays 0

2/6/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 48, nays 0

SEA50 GOVERNOR'S WORKFORCE CABINET (LONG D) Establishes the governor's workforce cabinet (cabinet). Specifies the membership and duties of the cabinet. Provides that the cabinet shall serve as the state advisory body required under certain federal laws. Provides that subject to the approval of the chairperson, the state personnel department, and the budget agency, the cabinet may employ professional, technical, and clerical personnel necessary to carry out its duties. Specifies that the cabinet is subject to the allotment system administered by the budget agency and financial oversight by the office of management and budget. Requires the cabinet to develop, not later than July 1, 2018, a comprehensive career navigation and coaching system for Indiana and requires all high schools to participate in the career coaching program. Requires the cabinet to conduct a regular review, analysis, and evaluation of all workforce related programs. Requires the cabinet to conduct a college and career funding review and submit, not later than November 1, 2018, to the governor and the legislative council a report concerning the results of the review. Requires the cabinet to study the advisability of establishing one or more real world career readiness programs that combine the theory of a particular career with workforce practice or application in order to provide students with career and technical education credentials necessary to transition from school to the workforce and submit, not later than November 1, 2018, to the governor and the legislative council a report concerning the results of the study. Repeals the state workforce innovation council (council). Assigns the council's duties and obligations concerning postsecondary proprietary educational institution accreditation to the department of workforce development and all other council duties and obligations to the cabinet.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H)

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S)

SEA65 INSTRUCTION ON HUMAN SEXUALITY (KRUSE D) Requires each school corporation to make available for inspection to a parent of a student instructional material used in connection with instruction on human sexuality. Provides that, before a school may provide a student with instruction on human sexuality, the school must provide the parent of the student or the student, if the student is an adult or an emancipated minor, with a written request for consent of instruction. Provides that a consent form provided to a parent of a student or a student must accurately summarize the contents and nature of the instruction on human sexuality that will be provided to the student and indicate that a parent of a student or an adult or emancipated minor student has the right to review and inspect all materials related to the instruction on human sexuality. Provides that the parent of the student or the student, if the student is an adult or an emancipated minor, may return the consent form indicating that the parent of the student or the adult or emancipated student: (1) consents to the instruction; or (2) declines instruction. Provides that, if the parent of the student or the student, if the student is an adult or an emancipated minor, does not respond to the written request provided by the school within 21 calendar days of receiving the request, the school shall provide the parent of the student, or the adult or emancipated minor student, a written notice requesting that the parent of the student, or the student, if the student is an adult or an emancipated minor, indicate whether the parent of the student or the adult or emancipated student: (1) consents to the instruction; or (2) declines instruction. Provides that the parent or the adult or emancipated student may subsequently opt out of the instruction.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Rules Suspended. Senate concurred in House amendments; Roll Call 397: yeas 41, nays 8

2/28/2018 - Third reading passed; Roll Call 266: yeas 69, nays 27

SEA172 COMPUTER SCIENCE (RAATZ J) Establishes the next level computer science grant program (program) and the next level computer science fund (fund) to award grants, after June 30, 2019, to eligible entities to implement teacher professional development programs for training in teaching computer science. Requires the department of education (department) to: (1) administer the program and fund; and (2) develop, in consultation with the governor's office, guidelines to award grants from the fund to eligible entities. Requires, not later than August 1, 2018, the state superintendent of public instruction to enter into a contract for professional development services. Requires the department to biannually submit a progress report to the governor regarding the: (1) development and administration of the program and fund; and (2) status of public schools in meeting computer science curriculum requirements. Provides that, if the department does not comply with the requirements regarding the program and fund, the state board of education shall assume the department's duties. Requires (beginning July 1, 2021) each public school to offer a computer science course as a one semester elective course in its curriculum at least once each school year to high school students. Requires (beginning July 1, 2021) each public school to include computer science in the public school's science curriculum for students in kindergarten through grade 12.

3/19/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/8/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 35, nays 0

3/5/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 94, nays 0

SEA217 DYSLEXIA (HOUCHIN E) Requires the following: (1) A school multidisciplinary team must include information about dyslexia in a student's educational evaluation if the multidisciplinary team determines that the student is eligible to receive special education and related services and has or has characteristics of dyslexia. (2) Information about dyslexia must be: (A) discussed by the student's case conference committee if information about dyslexia is included in the student's educational evaluation; and (B) included in the student's individualized education program if the case conference committee determines that the information should be included. Provides that a school corporation and charter school's reading plan shall include indicators to screen for risk factors of dyslexia, using a screening tool approved by the department of education (department). Requires school corporations and charter schools to: (1) use the response to intervention process to address needs of students who are determined to have characteristics of dyslexia; and (2) obtain parental consent before administering a level I dyslexia screening or a level II dyslexia screening. Provides that dyslexia interventions may include certain types of instruction. Requires school corporations and charter schools to report annually to the department regarding the number of students who were: (1) administered the initial dyslexia screening during the school year; and (2) determined to be at risk, or at some risk, for dyslexia. Requires a school corporation and charter school to report on the school corporation's or charter school's Internet web site certain information regarding dyslexia. Requires, not later than July 1, 2019, the department to employ at least one reading specialist trained in dyslexia. Requires, not later than the 2019-2020 school year, each school corporation and charter school to employ at least one individual to serve as an authorized reading specialist trained in dyslexia for the school corporation or charter school. Provides that a school corporation or charter school may receive a waiver from hiring an authorized reading specialist trained in dyslexia in certain circumstances. Requires, not later than the 2019-2020 school year, the department to ensure that each teacher receives professional awareness information on dyslexia. Requires the department to develop and update an Indiana dyslexia resource guide.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/6/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 49, nays 0

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 95, nays 0

SEA297 EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS CURRICULUM (RAATZ J) Provides that the department of workforce development will establish standards that provide students with career and college planning resources under the Indiana career explorer program and standards. (Current law provides that the department of workforce development will establish curriculum under the Indiana career explorer program and curriculum.) Provides that, not later than July 1, 2019, each school within a school corporation shall include interdisciplinary employability skills standards established by the department of education (department), in conjunction with the department of workforce development and approved by the state board of education, in the school's curriculum. Provides that, if the department determines that the pilot program for instruction in and use of the Indiana career explorer program and standards should be extended, the department, in consultation with the department of workforce development, must increase the number of schools involved in the pilot program by at least 15 additional schools, if possible based on the interest from schools. Provides that the state board of education, in consultation with the department and the department of workforce development, may approve an alternative Internet based system and standards (Current law provides that the department, in consultation with the department of workforce development may approve alternative Internet based system and standards.) Establishes the work ethic certificate program (program). Requires the department of workforce development to administer the program.

3/13/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/1/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 46, nays 2

2/26/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 97, nays 0

SEA303 VARIOUS EDUCATION MATTERS (RAATZ J) Amends dates for the following: (1) The submission of reports regarding the number of full-time equivalent students enrolled in an alternative education program. (2) Student enrollment and attendance and grant distributions regarding alternative education program grants. (3) A school corporation's count of pupils in homebound programs. (4) The submission of reports to the department of education (department) concerning scholarships awarded by a scholarship granting organization in the previous school year. Provides that an expanded child protection index check for an applicant for employment with a school corporation, charter school, or nonpublic school: (1) must be conducted for Indiana; and (2) may be conducted for other states. Specifies that a criminal history information policy adopted by a school corporation, charter school, or nonpublic school must state that the school corporation or school requires an expanded criminal history check concerning an employee of the school corporation or school who is likely to have direct, ongoing contact with children within the scope of the employee's employment (instead of any employee). Amends requirements and defines "appropriate vehicle" with regard to the types of vehicles a school corporation may use to transport homeless students to a school of origin. Provides that the same requirements apply to the transport of students in foster care to a school of origin. Provides that a school corporation may provide summer school educational services through an online provider. Voids 511 IAC 12-2-2, which pertains to reimbursements from the department for summer school. Amends the conditions that must apply for an original school corporation and a transitional school corporation to be required to enter into an agreement concerning the responsibility for and apportionment of the costs of transporting a foster student to and from a school of origin. Provides that, to drive a school bus, an individual must have a depth perception of at least 80% or 48 seconds of arc or less angle of stereopsis. Removes a provision that requires school corporations to conduct an additional cumulative count of pupils in homebound programs for informational purposes.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 86, nays 0

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 47, nays 0

SEA354 FREEWAY SCHOOL CORPORATIONS AND SCHOOLS (KRUSE D) Provides that the state board of education (state board) shall, upon request by a freeway school corporation or a freeway school, waive certain educational benefit requirements for a period of not more than 36 months. Provides that a freeway school corporation or freeway school may receive a waiver for that freeway school corporation or freeway school only one time. Urges the legislative council to assign to the education interim study committee the task of studying the accreditation of elementary and high schools in Indiana.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/1/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 46, nays 2

2/26/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 91, nays 5

SEA387 TEACHER PERMITS, EXAMINATIONS, AND SALARIES (ZAY A) Requires the department of education (department) to post on the department's Internet web site the pass rate of the content area examination for each postsecondary educational institution. Establishes eligibility requirements for a career specialist permit. Provides that, for school years beginning after June 30, 2018, a school corporation may provide a supplemental payment to a teacher in excess of the salary specified in the school corporation's compensation plan if the teacher: (1) is a special education professional; or (2) teaches in the areas of science, technology, engineering, or mathematics. Provides that an elementary teacher may be eligible for a supplemental payment if the teacher earns a master's degree in math, reading, or literacy. (Current law provides that an elementary teacher may be eligible for a supplemental payment if the teacher receives a master's degree in math or in reading and literacy.) Provides that the supplemental payment is not subject to collective bargaining but must be discussed. Provides that the salary increase amount attributed for the academic needs of students in a school corporation may be differentiated among individual teachers as part of a teacher salary scale. Provides that a school corporation may provide differentiated increases or increments for teacher salaries, and in excess of the percentage established for certain factors used to determine teacher salary increases or increments, in order to reduce the gap between the school corporation's minimum teacher salary and the average of the school corporation's minimum and maximum teacher salaries. Provides that, before November 1, 2018, the department shall issue a request for proposals for an educator licensing examination, which must include accessible examination preparation resources that are aligned with the educator licensing examination. Provides that the department shall prepare and submit a report that includes: (1) a list and description of each examination available in Indiana that is or could be used for teacher licensing; and (2) whether the individual taking the examination is responsible for paying the cost of the examination. Requires the state board of education to submit to the legislative council memorandums and reports provided by the technical advisory committee to the state board regarding educator licensing examinations. Requires the department to provide a notice to each school corporation regarding the changes in this act to the career specialist permit requirements and to the laws regarding teacher salaries.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 45, nays 3

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 77, nays 22



VOTES ON ENACTED LEGISLATION – EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION & EDUCATION

Senate	Education																			187	1073		
	1047	1074	1167	1230	1242	1314	1315	1356	1398	1399	1420	1421	1426	24	43	50	65	172	217			297	303
Ron Alting (R-22)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Eric Bossler (R-39)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Vaneta Becker (R-50)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Michael Boppreck (R-8)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Philip Boots (R-23)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rosette Bray (R-37)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jean Breaux (D-34)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	E	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Liz Brown (R-15)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Brian Buchanan (R-7)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
James Buck (R-21)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ed Charbonneau (R-5)	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	E	Y	E	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y
John Crane (R-24)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Michael Crider (R-28)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Michael Delah (R-29)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Blake Doriot (R-12)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Douglas Eckert (R-26)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jon Ford (R-38)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Aaron Freeman (R-32)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y
Susan Glick (R-13)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ronald Grooms (R-46)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Randall Head (R-18)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Travis Holdrington (R-19)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Erin Houchnig (R-47)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Eric Koch (R-44)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dennis Kruse (R-14)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Timothy Lanane (D-25)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Jean Leising (R-42)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
David Long (R-16)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Eddie Melton (D-3)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	N	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
James Merritt (R-31)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mark Messmer (R-48)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Ryan Mishler (R-9)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	E	Y	Y	Y
Frank Murray (D-1)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Rick Niemeyer (R-6)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
David Niezgodski (D-10)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Chip Perfect (R-43)	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y
Jeff Rootz (R-27)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Lonnie Randolph (D-2)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	N	E	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
John Ruckelshaus (R-30)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jack Sandlin (R-36)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y

	Early Childhood Education		Education																							
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Milo Smith (R-59)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Vernon Smith (D-14)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	N	Y	N	E	Y	E	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Edmond Solidy (R-4)	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Mike Speedy (R-90)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	E	Y	Y	E	Y	E	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Steven Stemler (D-71)	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	NV	Y	Y	E	N	E	Y	Y	Y	N	E	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Gregory Steyerwald (R-40)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Holli Sullivan (R-78)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	E	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Vanessa Summers (D-99)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	E	N	N	Y	E	N	Y	Y	N	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N
Joe Taylor (D-7)	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	N	E	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jeffrey Thompson (R-28)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Jerry Torr (R-39)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Heath VanNatter (R-38)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y
Thomas Washburne (R-64)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Timothy Wesco (R-21)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
David Wolfing (R-18)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	E	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y
Melanie Wright (D-35)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y
John Young (R-47)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Dennis Zent (R-51)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y
Cindy Ziemke (R-55)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y



HEA1120 STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH MATTERS (KIRCHHOFER C) Changes references to "methamphetamine laboratory" to "controlled substance". Amends the definition of "property" for purposes of operating a web site that lists properties that have been used in the illegal manufacture of a controlled substance. Authorizes the state department of health (state department) instead of the Indiana department of environmental management (department) to certify qualified inspectors and oversee the decontamination of a site that has been used in the illegal manufacture of a controlled substance. Transfers from the department to the state department powers, duties, records, property, and rules concerning decontamination of a site that has been contaminated by a controlled substance. Repeals the postnatal donation initiative.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/7/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 91, nays 0

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 50, nays 0

HEA1175 DIABETES REPORTING (SUMMERS V) Requires the state department of health (state department) to collaborate with the office of the secretary of family and social services and develop a strategic plan to identify and significantly reduce the prevalence of diabetes and prediabetes. Requires the state department to establish workgroups to assist with development of the strategic plan. Requires the state department to submit the strategic plan to the governor and the general assembly and to update the strategic plan every two years until July 1, 2026.

3/8/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 1

1/18/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 92, nays 0

HEA1203 QUALIFIED EGG BANKS (EBERHART S) Amends, for purposes of the law regarding unlawful transfer of a human organism, the definition of "qualified third party" and changes the term to "qualified egg bank". Specifies qualifications for a physician overseeing medical services related to ovum cryopreservation. Specifies requirements that must be met by a fertility clinic or similar medical facility in order to be considered a qualified egg bank. Exempts from the criminal offense of unlawful transfer of a human organism the payment to or receipt by a qualified egg bank of an amount for: (1) the retrieval of a human ovum; (2) the cryopreservation of a human ovum; (3) the transportation of a human ovum; or (4) other aspects of specified treatments or procedures to enhance human reproductive capability.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/6/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 31, nays 18

1/23/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 88, nays 8

HEA1220 FSSA MATTERS (KIRCHHOFER C) Adds representatives of organizations that represent people with intellectual and other developmental disabilities to the commission on rehabilitation services and the Medicaid advisory committee. Clarifies that outpatient home health services may be provided in other appropriate locations determined by the office. Changes the makeup of the drug utilization review board and the frequency with which the board is required to meet. Changes when a participant's funds remaining in the individual's healthy Indiana plan health (HIP) care account are refunded. Removes the HIP \$25 copayment requirement for subsequent use of an emergency room for nonemergency services. Allows money in the mental health and addiction forensic treatment services account to be used as the state match under the Medicaid program.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/7/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 93, nays 0

3/5/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 48, nays 1

HEA1317 HEALTH MATTERS (CLERE E) Provides that a pharmacy or pharmacist has a right to provide individuals with information concerning the individual's cost share for a prescription drug. States that a pharmacy or pharmacist cannot be proscribed by a third party administrator, a health insurer, or a health maintenance organization from discussing the information or from selling to the individual a more affordable alternative. Prohibits a copayment for a drug under the state employee health plan, an accident and sickness insurance policy, or a health maintenance organization contract from exceeding the amount payable to the pharmacy for the drug under an agreement with the pharmacy. Provides that changes to the designated coverage area of an area agency on aging may not be made until after a public hearing is held and one year elapses from the date of the hearing. Provides that the definition of "community and home care services" includes services, not covered by Medicaid, necessary to prevent individuals with intellectual or developmental disabilities from being institutionalized and to help such individuals to transition out of health care facilities or group homes. Requires the community and home options to institutional care for the elderly and disabled (CHOICE) board to review proposed rules concerning the CHOICE program and removes the time requirement for the review. (Current law requires review of proposed rules concerning home and community based services at least three months before the rule may be published.) Removes provisions concerning the CHOICE board setting a public comment period. Requires the office of the secretary

of family and social services to study service provider and systems point of entry reimbursement rates for recipients of early intervention services. Beginning July 1, 2019, removes the 12 month limitation on receipt by certain individuals of supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP) benefits. Specifies that, beginning January 1, 2020, Indiana elects to opt out of the federal law prohibiting individuals convicted of certain drug offenses from receiving SNAP assistance if the individual meets specified conditions. Specifies that if the individual violates any terms of the probation, parole, community corrections, or reentry court program, the individual is ineligible for SNAP. Requires the office of the secretary of family and social services to study reimbursement rates and the methodology for case management services for recipients of certain Medicaid waivers. Provides that any new rates as a result of a study: (1) may not take effect until January 1, 2019, or be applied retroactively; and (2) must be approved through a Medicaid waiver amendment. Requires the board of pharmacy to adopt rules concerning telepharmacy under the laws regulating remote dispensing facilities. Exempts from the law regulating pharmacists and pharmacies the delivery of peritoneal renal dialysis related supplies by manufacturers, third party logistic providers, and wholesale drug distributors in certain circumstances. Removes that an occupant of a property was afflicted with or died from a disease related to human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) from the definition of "psychologically affected property". Urges the legislative council to assign to an appropriate interim study committee the task of studying the impact that joining the nurse licensure compact would have on the delivery of nursing services to residents of Indiana.

3/25/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 36, nays 13

3/13/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 95, nays 3

SEA52 LOW THC HEMP EXTRACT (LONG D) Provides that the Indiana department of state revenue (department) shall revoke a registered retail merchant's certificate if the department finds that the person has been convicted of dealing in marijuana based on the sale of fraudulently labeled low THC hemp extract. Repeals all provisions concerning the cannabidiol registry and a "substance containing cannabidiol" (all added by HEA 1148-2017). Defines "low THC hemp extract" as a product: (1) derived from *Cannabis sativa* L. that meets the definition of industrial hemp; (2) that contains not more than 0.3% delta-9-THC (including precursors); and (3) that contains no other controlled substances. Establishes testing, packaging, and labeling requirements for the distribution and retail sale of low THC hemp extract, effective July 1, 2018. Provides that a retailer commits dealing in marijuana as a Level 5 felony if: (1) the retailer sells marijuana; (2) the marijuana is packaged in a manner that appears to be low THC extract; and (3) the retailer knows or reasonably should know that the product is marijuana. Makes possession of marijuana a Class A misdemeanor if: (1) the marijuana is packaged in a manner that appears to be low THC hemp extract; and (2) the person knows or reasonably should know that the product is marijuana. Urges the legislative council to assign to an appropriate interim study committee the task of studying the regulation of industrial hemp, industrial hemp products, and low THC hemp extract manufacturing.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 97, nays 0

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 36, nays 11

SEA142 MATERNAL MORTALITY REVIEW COMMITTEE (LEISING J) Requires the state department of health (state department) to establish a statewide maternal mortality review committee (committee) until June 30, 2023, and sets forth membership and duties of the committee. Specifies confidentiality of records reviewed by the committee. Requires a health care provider or health care facility that has a patient who dies of a maternal mortality to report the death to the committee and sets forth immunity provisions for the provider or facility. Allows the committee to review maternal morbidity cases. Specifies records to which the committee may have access. Requires the committee to submit a report to the state department before July 1 of each year concerning the committee's reviews and requires the state department to post the report on the state department's Internet web site and make the report available for public inspection. Provides civil and criminal immunity to committee members in discussing confidential matters before the committee.

3/13/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/1/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 48, nays 0

2/20/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 92, nays 0

SEA158 SCLERAL TATTOOING (RUCKELSHAUS J) Defines "scleral tattooing". Prohibits the act of performing or offering to perform scleral tattooing. Provides an exception for the act of a licensed health care professional when the act is performed in the scope of the health care professional's practice. Provides that the attorney general: (1) has authority to receive and investigate complaints regarding violations of the statute; (2) may seek civil penalties of up to \$10,000 per violation of the statute; and (3) may seek an injunction to restrain a person from continuing to violate the statute.

3/13/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/1/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 82, nays 11

1/16/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 42, nays 5

SEA225 CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS (HEAD R) Establishes continuing education requirements for licensed health care practitioners who apply for a controlled substances registration. Provides that the continuing education requirements expire July 1, 2025.

3/13/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/1/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 94, nays 0

1/18/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0

SEA363 FSSA MATTERS (CHARBONNEAU E) Corrects outdated references to the "division of aging and rehabilitative services" to refer instead to the "division of disability and rehabilitative services". Removes references to home care services from the long term care ombudsman program. Removes the requirement that the long term care ombudsman (ombudsman) report the findings of the long term care ombudsman office (office) to the complainant. Allows the office to disclose records, documents, and findings of an investigated case to certain individuals with the informed consent of the resident of the long term care facility or the resident's legal guardian. Specifies the manner in which consent can be given by a resident. Specifies information to which the ombudsman shall be given access by a long term care facility. Changes the persons that must be provided with the ombudsman's annual report. Requires the office to provide independent legal counsel to the ombudsman for specified matters. Specifies grievances and complaints that must be addressed by the office. Repeals language concerning: (1) the admission and placement requirements concerning Evansville State Psychiatric Treatment Center; (2) state institution wage agreements; and (3) a statistical report requirement concerning state institutions.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 48, nays 0

3/13/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 97, nays 0



HUMAN SERVICES

HEA1003 STREAMLINING AGENCY REPORTING REQUIREMENTS (GUTWEIN D) Repeals the requirement that the office of management and budget (OMB) perform a cost benefit analysis of certain rules for the three year period following the rules' effective dates. Repeals a statute that allows: (1) state agencies to submit comments on proposed legislation to OMB; and (2) OMB to review, amend, and transmit the comments to the legislative services agency for posting on the general assembly's web site. Eliminates or consolidates various state agency reporting requirements. Repeals the following: (1) Pilot program for state registration of privately certified individuals. (2) Family support program. (3) The early education evaluation program. (4) The health needs assessment component of the state department of health's duty to conduct health planning. (5) Certain reporting requirements of the department of environmental management and the department of insurance.

3/16/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/6/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 87, nays 0

2/22/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 46, nays 2

HEA1130 PROFESSIONAL LICENSING AGENCY MATTERS (ZENT D) Allows a person who is enrolled in an architecture degree program to take the architect registration examination. Provides that the dietitians certification board is required to hold one regular meeting each year. (Current law requires two meetings.) Removes and repeals provisions concerning the application for and administration of the dietitian certification examination. Allows an individual to fit and dispense hearing aids while under the supervision and direction of a certified hearing aid dealer. Provides that certain duties of the medical licensing board are now duties of the committee of hearing aid dealer examiners. Requires that a person who applies for a massage therapist license must complete 625 hours of supervised classroom and hands on instruction on massage therapy. (Current law requires 500 hours.) Requires that a person who applies for a massage therapist license must submit to a national criminal history background check. (Current law requires a limited criminal history.) Requires a massage therapist who applies for license renewal to submit proof of professional liability insurance. Removes provisions that: (1) permit a student in medical school to take the medical licensure examination; and (2) concern grading examinations and how often the exam is administered. Changes a reference to a postgraduate training program that allows a permit to be issued to a foreign medical graduate. Requires a physician to make a personal appearance before the medical licensing board to establish the physician's work history if the physician has been inactive for more than three years. (Current law requires an appearance if the inactivity period is more than four years.) Allows the board of pharmacy to issue a provisional wholesale drug distributor license to an applicant that is located in Indiana and is in the process of obtaining accreditation or certification. Requires a third party logistics provider to be licensed by the board of pharmacy before engaging in third party logistics. Provides for certain requirements to be fulfilled prior to licensing for a third party logistics provider. Requires the board of pharmacy to adopt rules for licensing of third party logistics providers. Repeals provisions: (1) concerning the administration of the podiatrist licensure examination; and (2) that allow licensing of podiatrist's assistants. Conforms the podiatrist

license reinstatement provisions with statutory reinstatement requirements. Provides that certain information from the previous two years must be reported to renew a podiatrist license.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 96, nays 0

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 49, nays 0

HEA1245 OCCUPATIONAL LICENSING (DEVON D) Provides that the state and a local governmental unit (unit) shall explicitly list the crimes that will disqualify an individual from receiving an occupational license. Provides that the use of an individual's conviction of a crime as a disqualifying criminal conviction is limited to a crime that specifically and directly relates to the duties and responsibilities of the occupation for which the individual is applying for or holds a license. Provides that the period of disqualification may not exceed five years unless the individual: (1) was convicted of a crime of violence or an offense relating to a criminal sexual act; or (2) is convicted of a second or subsequent crime during the disqualification period. Provides that an individual having a criminal conviction may at any time petition the board or unit requiring a license for a determination as to whether the individual's criminal conviction will disqualify the individual from receiving that license. Specifies the notice requirements for network health care providers that make referrals via telephone to out-of-network health care providers. Requires the professional licensing agency to consult with the small business ombudsman, the office of management and budget, and representatives of local units to develop and submit by November 1, 2018, a report to the legislative council concerning proposed policies and parameters for the licensing of occupations and professions by local units in order to reduce or eliminate redundant licensing by the state and multiple local units. Provides that a unit does not have the power to license, register, or certify a person to practice the person's profession or occupation within the unit if the occupation or profession is subject to licensure, registration, or certification under the Indiana Code. Provides that this prohibition does not apply: (1) to registration for particular projects for the alteration, construction, demolition, or repair of a building or other work on real property required under an ordinance or rule adopted under local government law; (2) to the ability to revoke, suspend, or impose additional conditions on a permit or registration previously given if the person holding the permit or registered has performed substandard work or has otherwise violated any condition of the permit or registration; or (3) when the unit determines the establishment and enforcement of health and safety standards for the occupation or profession is appropriate and necessary to protect the public.

3/21/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 95, nays 1

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 48, nays 1

HEA1285 NUTRITIONAL ASSISTANCE (VANNATTER H) Urges the legislative council to assign for study to an appropriate interim study committee the task of studying issues related to eligibility verification and monitoring, identity authentication, and work requirements for participation in the federal Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program and Medicaid program.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/8/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 74, nays 0

3/5/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 40, nays 9



HUMAN TRAFFICKING

HEA1191 SUSPECTED HUMAN TRAFFICKING (ENGLEMAN K) Removes the requirement that a licensed health practitioner report that an adult patient is a suspected victim of human trafficking to a local law enforcement agency. Requires a licensed health practitioner to provide information concerning available resources and services to a patient who is a suspected victim of human trafficking.

3/8/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

2/20/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0

1/30/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 90, nays 0

HEA1270 CRIMINAL LAW MATTERS (SIEGRIST S) Changes the human and sexual trafficking statute by: (1) reclassifying the term "human and sexual trafficking" to "human trafficking", which includes the offenses of labor and sexual trafficking; (2) creating separate offenses for labor and sexual trafficking and renaming certain crimes; (3) removing the element of force from forced labor, marriage, prostitution, and participating in sexual conduct; (4) removing involuntary servitude from the human trafficking statute; (5) removing from the sexual trafficking statute the element that a solicitor must know that a person is a human trafficking victim before committing the offense; and (6) adding elements to certain human and sexual trafficking offenses. Expands the rape shield statute to include victims of human trafficking and certain other offenses. Adds an element to the defense of prosecution under the

offenses of sexual misconduct with a minor and promotion of sexual trafficking of a younger child. Prohibits certain defenses to a prosecution of making an unlawful proposition. Requires law enforcement to notify the department of child services of a possible child trafficking victim in certain sexual offenses. Urges the legislative council to assign to an appropriate interim study committee the task of studying the topic of human trafficking in Indiana involving law enforcement, creation of programs, and review of the penalties for human trafficking crimes in the criminal code. Requires the commission on improving the status of children in Indiana to study the topic of what specific authority a law enforcement officer has in order to take custody of or detain a child in certain situations where the officer believes a child may be a victim of human trafficking and who is potentially a child in need of services. Provides a defense to the crime of maintaining a common nuisance if: (1) the charged offense involves less than a specified quantity of marijuana, hashish, hash oil, or salvia or involves paraphernalia; and (2) the person does not have a prior unrelated conviction for maintaining a common nuisance. Adds an exemption for the transfer or receipt of reasonable charges and fees for adoption services provided by an attorney licensed in Indiana from a profiting from an adoption offense.

3/19/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 44, nays 4

3/13/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 98, nays 0



MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTION

HEA1007 MENTAL HEALTH ACCESS (KIRCHHOFER C) Requires the office of Medicaid policy and planning to implement a centralized credentials verification organization and credentialing process. Allows the division of mental health and addiction (division) to grant approval for nine additional opioid treatment programs that: (1) are operated by a hospital; and (2) meet other specified requirements; if the division determines that there is a need for the program in the proposed location. Provides that mental health and addiction forensic treatment services may be administered or coordinated only by a provider certified by the division or licensed by the Indiana professional licensing agency to provide mental health and addiction treatment. (Under current law, a provider may provide services only if the provider is certified or licensed by the division.) Requires the division to establish best practice guidelines to assist employers with certain employees who agree to participate in a drug education and addiction treatment program (program). Requires the division to: (1) promote voluntary participation; (2) develop and deliver informational resources and training for employers; and (3) collect information and prepare an annual report. Provides that if an employer and employee comply with certain requirements, the employer is not liable in a civil action alleging negligent hiring for negligence of the employee. Provides that in certain civil actions, an employer's participation in the program is not admissible as evidence. Establishes new temporary permits for certain individuals who are pursuing required clinical supervisory hours needed for licensure. Allows clinical social work experience hours obtained under a temporary permit to be counted to supervise work experience requirements if certain conditions are met. Provides that the temporary permits are not renewable. Requires certain policies of accident and sickness insurance to provide coverage for substance abuse or chemical dependency treatment provided by: (1) an addiction counselor; and (2) a marriage and family therapist. Requires: (1) an accident and sickness insurer; and (2) a health maintenance organization; to provide provisional credentialing to a provider for which a credentialing determination is not completed in at least 30 days if certain requirements are met. Urges the legislative council to assign to an appropriate interim study committee the task of studying the impact that opioid treatment programs have on the neighborhoods and communities in the immediate area of the opioid treatment programs.

3/22/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 98, nays 0

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 49, nays 0

HEA1141 COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER FUNDING (SCHAIBLEY D) Specifies the funding amounts that must be provided by counties to community mental health centers. Provides that a county's maximum funding amount for a year is equal to the maximum funding amount for the previous year multiplied by the percentage change in the county's general fund property tax levy, after subtracting circuit breaker credits (but provides that the maximum funding amount will not be less than the preceding year's maximum funding amount). Phases-in this change in the case of Marion County. Requires the department of local government finance (DLGF) to verify the maximum appropriation calculation as part of the DLGF's certification of the county's budget. Specifies that the funding provided by a county to community mental health centers shall be used solely for: (1) the operations of community mental health centers serving the county; or (2) contributing to the nonfederal share of medical assistance payments to community mental health centers serving the county. Provides that unless otherwise agreed to by the county and the community mental health center, the county payment to the community mental health center shall be paid by the county treasurer to the treasurer of the community mental health center's board of directors at least as frequently as semiannually (in July and in December). Provides that

a county's funding for community mental health centers shall be apportioned according to the proportion of: (1) the county's population residing in the primary service area of each center that is certified by the division of mental health and addiction; to (2) the total population of the county. Deletes provisions requiring the county to pay the appropriated amounts to the division of mental health and addiction (the division). Deletes the provisions specifying how the payments to the division must be made. Repeals a provision allowing the appropriation of an additional amount under certain circumstances. Provides that the governing board of a community mental health center must include a member of a county fiscal body or a member of a board of county commissioners, appointed by the board of county commissioners of the county where the community mental health center maintains its corporate mailing address. Requires the annual report by a community mental health center to be made to the division of mental health and addiction (division) and to the fiscal body and the board of county commissioners of each county located in the community mental health center's primary service area. (Under current law the report is made only to the county fiscal body.) Specifies certain information that must be included in the annual reports provided by community mental health centers. Requires the division to specify the format of the annual reports that must be provided by community mental health centers. Requires the division to provide an annual report containing certain information to the county fiscal body and board of county commissioners of each county.

3/14/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/6/2018 - House concurred in Senate amendments; yeas 92, nays 2

2/26/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 48, nays 0

SEA221 INSPECT PROGRAM (HOUCHIN E) Allows a dispenser of ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, or a controlled substance to transmit certain information to the INSPECT program by any electronic method that meets specifications prescribed by the state board of pharmacy (board). Provides that, to the extent considered appropriate by the board, the INSPECT data base must be interoperable with other similar registries operated by federal and state governments. Requires the following practitioners to obtain information about a patient from the data base before prescribing an opioid or benzodiazepine to the patient: (1) A practitioner who has had the information from the data base integrated into the patient's electronic health records. (2) Beginning January 1, 2019, a practitioner who provides services to the patient in the emergency department of a hospital or a pain management clinic. (3) Beginning January 1, 2020, a practitioner who provides services to the patient in a hospital. (4) Beginning January 1, 2021, all practitioners. Provides that a practitioner is not required to obtain information about a patient who is subject to a pain management contract from the INSPECT data base more than once every 90 days. Removes lapsed provisions. Provides that beginning January 1, 2019, a practitioner who is permitted to distribute, dispense, prescribe, conduct research with respect to, or administer ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, or a controlled substance in the course of the practitioner's professional practice or research must be certified to receive information from the INSPECT program. Allows a practitioner to request a waiver from the requirement of checking the data base before prescribing an opioid or benzodiazepine if the practitioner does not have access to the Internet at the practitioner's place of business. Requires the Indiana state board of pharmacy to: (1) establish a process for a practitioner to request a waiver; (2) determine whether to grant a practitioner's request for a waiver; and (3) issue a waiver when the board determines a waiver is warranted.

3/22/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/6/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 49, nays 0

3/1/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 95, nays 0

SEA223 INFORMATION PROVIDED BY HEALTH PRACTITIONERS (HEAD R) Requires specified licensed health practitioners to provide certain information related to the practitioner's work, including the practitioner's work with Medicaid patients, when renewing the practitioner's professional license online. Requires the Indiana professional licensing agency to: (1) compile the information collected into an annual report; (2) post a copy of the report on the agency's Internet web site; and (3) submit the report to the office of Medicaid policy and planning, the department of workforce development, the commission on improving the status of children, the legislative council, and the office of the attorney general. Specifies notice requirements for network health care providers that make referrals via telephone to out-of-network health care providers.

3/16/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/12/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 43, nays 0

3/5/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 93, nays 0

SEA224 BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES (HEAD R) Allows up to 50% of the supervised experience hours required for licensure as the following to be accounted for through virtual supervision by the appropriate supervisor: (1) Clinical social worker. (2) Mental health counselor. (3) Marriage and family therapist. (4) Addiction counselor. Reduces the required number of face to face client contact hours for a marriage and family therapist license from 500 to 400 face to face client contact hours. Requires an applicant for licensure as a mental health counselor or mental health counselor associate to complete a clinical practicum, an internship, or field experience in a counseling setting of at least 700 clock hours, including at least 66 hours of face to face supervision.

3/21/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/14/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (S): yeas 47, nays 0

3/13/2018 - Conference Committee Report Adopted (H): yeas 93, nays 4

SEA230 SUICIDE PREVENTION (HEAD R) Provides that the division of mental health and addiction is responsible for the development and provision of a research based training program for health care providers concerning suicide assessment, training, and management that is: (1) demonstrated to be an effective or promising program; and (2) recommended by the Indiana Suicide Prevention Network Advisory Council. Requires emergency medical technicians to complete a research based training program concerning suicide assessment, treatment, and management that is: (1) demonstrated to be an effective or promising program; and (2) recommended by the Indiana Suicide Prevention Network Advisory Council. Requires that teachers and other school employees receive at least two hours of research based youth suicide awareness and prevention training from a program that is: (1) demonstrated to be an effective or promising program; and (2) recommended by the Indiana Suicide Prevention Network Advisory Council.

3/13/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/1/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 93, nays 0

1/18/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 49, nays 0



OTHER

SEA203 CRIMES RESULTING IN THE LOSS OF A FETUS (FREEMAN A) Provides that the crimes of: (1) murder; (2) voluntary manslaughter; (3) involuntary manslaughter; and (4) feticide; may be committed against a fetus in any stage of development. Specifies that the offenses do not apply to a: (1) lawfully performed abortion; or (2) pregnant woman with respect to a fetus carried by the woman. Provides, with certain exceptions, that a person who commits a felony that causes the termination of a pregnancy may receive an additional sentence of six to 20 years.

3/25/2018 – **Signed by the Governor**

3/6/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 41, nays 8

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 96, nays 0

SEA264 RAPE KITS (CRIDER M) Defines "kit" as the standard medical forensic examination kit for victims of a sex crime developed by the state police department. Requires the statewide sexual assault response team advisory council (council) to prepare a report regarding: (1) the feasibility of creating a kit tracking and testing data base; (2) the identity of the supervising agency or entity responsible for creating, operating, managing, and maintaining the kit tracking and testing data base; and (3) possible sources of funding for the kit tracking and testing data base. Requires the council to submit a report to the legislative council in an electronic format not later than December 1, 2018. Defines certain terms.

3/15/2018 - **Signed by the Governor**

3/6/2018 - Senate concurred in House amendments; yeas 49, nays 0

2/27/2018 - Third reading passed; yeas 95, nays 0

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Edmond Soliday (R-4)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Mike Speedy (R-90)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	
Steven Stemler (D-71)	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	E	E	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	E	E	E	
Gregory Stauswald (R-40)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	E	E	Y	Y	
Halli Sullivan (R-78)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Vanessa Summers (D-99)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Joe Taylor (D-7)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Jeffrey Thompson (R-28)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Jerry Tarr (R-39)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Heath VanWatter (R-38)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Thomas Washburne (R-64)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Timothy Wesco (R-21)	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
David Watkins (R-18)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	NV	Y	Y	
Melanie Wright (D-35)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
John Young (R-47)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Dennis Zent (R-51)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	
Cindy Ziemke (R-55)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	

LEGISLATION HEARD BUT NOT ENACTED

HOUSE BILLS

HB1016 STUDENT JOURNALISM (CLERE E) Provides freedom of speech and freedom of press protections for grades 7 through 12 and state educational institution student journalists. Requires each school corporation and charter school to adopt a policy concerning student journalist protections. Requires a student media adviser to, each school year, supervise student journalists in grades 7 through 12 in the creation of certain school sponsored media policies. Provides that a public school or school corporation may not suppress school sponsored media unless certain conditions apply. Provides that public schools, school corporations, and state educational institutions are immune from civil liability for any injury resulting from school sponsored media produced by a student journalist, except for acts or omissions that constitute gross negligence or willful, wanton, or intentional misconduct.
2/5/2018 Third reading: failed for lack of constitutional majority; yeas 47, nays 46

HB1039 529 PLANS (CULVER W) Provides the following for purposes of the state income tax credit for contributions to a college choice 529 education savings plan: (1) The term "qualified higher education expenses" has the meaning set forth in the Internal Revenue Code as in effect on January 1, 2017. (2) A taxpayer is not entitled to the credit for money that is credited to an account and that will be used to pay for expenses for tuition in connection with enrollment or attendance at an elementary or secondary public, private, or religious school or that will be transferred to an ABLÉ account. (3) For purposes of determining the recapture of the credit, a withdrawal or distribution that is used to pay for expenses for tuition in connection with enrollment or attendance at an elementary or secondary public, private, or religious school or that is a rollover distribution or transfer of assets or to an ABLÉ account is a nonqualified withdrawal. Urges the legislative council to assign to the interim study committee on fiscal policy certain study topics related to 529 plans. Requires the Indiana education savings authority to report to the interim study committee on fiscal policy concerning the investment of assets under the education savings programs it administers, including information concerning the ways in which the investment of those assets benefits Indiana.

1/18/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 94, nays 0

3/5/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 48, nays 0

3/6/2018 Returned to the House with amendments

HB1055 MILITARY UNIFORMS AT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATIONS (AYLESWORTH M) Provides that school discipline rules must allow a student to wear a dress uniform issued to the student by any active or reserve component of the armed forces of the United States or the national guard while participating in the student's high school graduation ceremony.

1/9/2018 Passed House Education Committee yeas 11, nays 2

1/11/2018 Second reading: ordered engrossed

HB1059 PROFESSIONAL LICENSING AGENCY (BACON R) Removes references in behavioral health and human services licensing law to certified health care professionals. Specifies that the statutes concerning behavioral health and human services professionals may not be construed to limit addiction counseling performed by certain students, interns, and trainees studying in certain institutions. Requires an individual who is licensed as an addiction counselor or a clinical addiction counselor to: (1) display a counselor license or a clear copy of a counselor license at each location where the addiction counselor or clinical addiction counselor regularly practices; and (2) include certain information on the individual's professional marketing material. Changes certain educational and clinical experience requirements for a licensed addiction counselor and a licensed clinical addiction counselor.

1/18/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 93, nays 0

HB1110 SURVIVOR HEALTH COVERAGE (MACER K) Provides that, if the employer of a public safety officer who dies in the line of duty after June 30, 2018, offers health coverage for active employees, the employer shall offer to provide and pay for health coverage under the plan covering active employees for the surviving spouse and each natural child, stepchild, and adopted child of the public safety officer. Provides that health coverage for a surviving child continues: (1) until the child becomes 18 years of age; (2) until the child becomes 23 years of age, if the child is: (A) enrolled in and regularly attending a secondary school; or (B) a full-time student at an accredited college or university; or (3) during the entire period of the child's physical or mental disability; whichever period is longer.

1/31/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 90, nays 0

HB1137 STUDY OF INDUSTRIAL HEMP (LUCAS J) Urges the legislative council to assign to an appropriate interim study committee the task of studying the regulation of industrial hemp and industrial hemp products.

1/31/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 90, nays 0

3/5/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 43, nays 6

3/7/2018 House dissented from Senate amendments

HB1165 SCHOOL BUSES (COOK A) Requires a governing body seeking to purchase a school bus or special purpose bus to request information concerning the cost of purchasing a school bus or special purpose bus equipped with 3-point lap and shoulder safety belts. Requires the governing body to hold a public hearing on the costs and benefits of purchasing a school bus or special purpose bus with 3-point lap and shoulder safety belts before voting on whether to purchase a school bus or special purpose bus equipped with 3-point lap and shoulder safety belts. Allows a school corporation to use a portion of a grant from the safe schools fund or the secured school fund toward purchase or equipping school buses and special purpose buses with safety equipment. Requires each occupant of a school bus or special purpose bus that has a 3-point lap and shoulder safety belt to have the 3-point lap and shoulder safety belt properly fastened about the occupant's body at all times when the bus is in motion. Provides for an exception to the laws concerning other types of passenger restraint systems. Makes an appropriation.

1/29/2018 Passed House Education Committee; yeas 9, nays 0

1/29/2018 Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means pursuant to House Rule 127

HB1214 LOW THC HEMP EXTRACT (FRIEND W) Repeals all provisions concerning the cannabidiol registry and a "substance containing cannabidiol" (all added by HEA 1148-2017). Defines "low THC hemp extract" as an industrial hemp product derived from Cannabis sativa L. that contains not more than 0.3% delta-9-THC (including precursors) and no other controlled substances. Establishes requirements for the manufacture, labeling, and sale of low THC hemp extract. Provides that the Indiana department of state revenue may revoke a registered retail merchant's certificate if the retailer sells a product falsely labeled as low THC hemp extract. Provides that a retailer commits dealing in marijuana as a Level 5 felony if: (1) the retailer sells marijuana; (2) the marijuana is packaged in a manner that appears to be low THC extract; and (3) the retailer knows or reasonably know that the product is marijuana. Makes possession of marijuana a Class A misdemeanor if: (1) the marijuana is packaged in a manner that appears to be low THC hemp extract; and (2) the person knows or reasonably should know that the product is marijuana.

1/30/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 93, nays 0

3/6/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 37, nays 12

3/7/2018 House dissented from Senate amendments

HB1264 COMPETENCY BASED HIGH SCHOOL EDUCATION (BROWN T) Establishes the competency based high school education pilot program (pilot program) to provide grants to school corporations for the design and implementation of competency based education programs in high schools. Provides that the department of education (department) administers the pilot program. Requires a school corporation to apply and provide certain information to the department to participate in the pilot program. Requires the Indiana state board of education to establish requirements and standards concerning the competency based education programs. Provides that, after June 30, 2019, a school corporation is eligible to receive a grant for participation in the pilot program. Prohibits a school corporation to which an eligible pupil who received credit under a competency based education program transfers from: (1) requiring the eligible pupil to repeat the course work for which the eligible student received the credit; (2) changing the grade or credit that the eligible pupil received from participating in the competency based education program; or (3) otherwise penalizing the eligible pupil regarding the eligible pupil's previous attendance of a competency based education program. Requires, with exceptions, a school corporation to repay to the department a grant awarded for an eligible pupil who: (1) fails to attain a Core 40 diploma or, for students with disabilities, a high school diploma or certificate of completion in accordance with the student's individualized education program; or (2) is considered a dropout. Requires the department to: (1) before June 30, 2020, and before June 30 each year thereafter, evaluate and prepare a report concerning implementation and pupil outcomes of the competency based education programs; and (2) submit the report to the legislative council. Requires state educational institutions to recognize and accept credits awarded under a competency based education program and a diploma awarded to a student who successfully completes an education program that includes, in whole or in part, a competency based education program.

1/16/2018 Passed House Education Committee; yeas 9, nays 2

1/16/2018 Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means pursuant to House Rule 127

HB1380 TOBACCO PRODUCTS PURCHASING AGE (BROWN C) Raises the age from 18 years of age to 21 years of age for prohibitions and crimes concerning the sale, purchase, and possession of cigarettes and other tobacco products. Makes a corresponding change to the laws concerning e-cigarettes, tobacco retailer permits, and admission to establishments where smoking is permitted.

1/30/2018 Passed House Public Health Committee; yeas 9, nays 0

1/30/2018 Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means pursuant to House Rule 127

HB1424 HANDGUN LICENSES (WESCO T) Increases the duration of a four year handgun license to five years. Provides that an individual may simultaneously hold both a five year license and a lifetime license. Requires a law enforcement officer to whom an application for a handgun license is made to perform a national, fingerprint based criminal history check and consult available local, state, and federal criminal history data banks, including the National Instant Criminal Background Check System (NICS), when determining whether possession of a firearm by an applicant would be a violation of state or federal law. Removes the fees for lifetime licenses beginning July 1, 2019.

2/05/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 71, nays 20

2/22/2018 Passed Senate Judiciary Committee; yeas 7, nays 3; reassigned to Committee on Appropriations

SENATE BILLS

SB5 PROFITING FROM AN ADOPTION (ZAKAS J) Adds an exemption for the transfer or receipt of reasonable charges and fees for adoption services provided by an attorney licensed in Indiana from a profiting from an adoption offense.

1/30/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 48, nays 0

SB8 SCHOOL CURRICULUM (LEISING J) Requires each school corporation, charter school, and accredited nonpublic elementary school to include cursive writing in its curriculum.

1/22/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 38, nays 11

SB11 ELIGIBILITY FOR SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE (BOHACEK M) Beginning July 1, 2019, removes the 12 month limitation on receipt by certain individuals of supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP) benefits. Specifies that, beginning January 1, 2020, Indiana elects to opt out of the federal law prohibiting individuals convicted of certain drug offenses from receiving SNAP assistance if the individual meets specified conditions. Specifies that if the individual violates any terms of the probation, parole, community corrections, or reentry court program, the individual is ineligible for SNAP.

1/30/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 41, nays 8

SB33 HOUSES OF WORSHIP AND FIREARMS (SANDLIN J) Permits a person who may legally possess a firearm to possess a firearm on school property, unless prohibited by the house of worship, if the person possesses the firearm: (1) as an employee or volunteer of a house of worship located on the school property; or (2) while attending a worship service or religious ceremony conducted at a house of worship. Excludes certain nonexclusive uses of school property from the statutory definition of "school property".

2/6/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 43, nays 5

2/22/2018 Passed House Public Policy Committee; yeas 10, nays 0

SB68 INTERNET CRIMES INVESTIGATION FUND (CRIDER M) Establishes the Internet crimes investigation fund (fund). Requires the state police department (department) to administer the fund and use money in the fund to: (1) pay for certain costs incurred by the department and directly related to crimes that involve the use of the Internet, including crimes against children that involve use of the Internet; and (2) award grants to county, city, and town law enforcement agencies that agree to use the money to investigate Internet crimes against children in accordance with United States Department of Justice Internet Crimes Against Children Operational and Investigative Standards. Requires the department to report to the legislative council before November 1, 2019, and before November 1 of each year thereafter concerning the uses of money in the fund and the programs and activities paid for by expenditures of money in the fund.

2/5/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 48, nays 0

SB123 NEWBORN SAFETY DEVICES AT FIRE DEPARTMENTS (HOLDMAN T) Specifies under the safe haven law that it is a defense to a claim of neglect of a dependent if the individual left the child in a newborn safety device that is located at a fire department, including a volunteer fire department, that meets specified requirements. Provides civil immunity for a fire department that operates a newborn safety device for an act or omission relating to the device: (1) if the device meets specified requirements; and (2) unless the act or omission constitutes gross negligence or willful or wanton misconduct.

1/16/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 47, nays 0

SB130 COURT APPOINTED CHILD ADVOCATE IMMUNITY (BOHACEK M) Provides immunity from civil liability for: (1) a guardian ad litem program; (2) a court appointed special advocate program; (3) an employee of or volunteer for a guardian ad litem program or court appointed special advocate program; and (4) an individual acting as a contracted guardian ad litem; when a child is placed on a waiting list for guardian ad litem or court appointed special advocate services.

1/29/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 49, nays 0

SB143 STUDY OF STUDENT PERFORMANCE GRADES (LEISING J) Requires the department of education (department) and the commission for higher education (commission) to study and submit a report describing as to whether there is any disparity in determining enrollment eligibility in a state educational institution or educational program offered by the state educational institution that is caused by the use of different grading scales by public secondary schools. Requires the department and commission to submit the report to the general assembly. Requires a public secondary school to submit certain information to the department regarding the calculation of a public secondary student's grade. Requires a state educational institution to submit certain information to the commission regarding the use of a public secondary student's grade point average for determining enrollment eligibility.

1/23/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 48, nays 1

SB152 SURVIVOR HEALTH COVERAGE (CRIDER M) Provides that, if the employer of a public safety officer who dies in the line of duty after June 30, 2018, offers health coverage for active employees, the employer shall offer to provide and pay for health coverage under the plan covering active employees for the surviving spouse and each natural child, stepchild, and adopted child of the public safety officer. Provides that health coverage for a surviving child continues: (1) until the child becomes 18 years of age; (2) until the child becomes 23 years of age, under certain circumstances; or (3) during the entire period of the child's physical or mental disability; whichever period is longest.

1/23/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 49, nays 0

SB157 REAL WORLD CAREER READINESS PROGRAM (RUCKELSHAUS J) Establishes the real world career readiness program (program). Provides that the state board of education (state board) shall establish the program to provide a real world career readiness student with career and technical education credentials necessary to transition from school to the workforce. Provides that the state board, in consultation with the department of workforce development, may create an authorized program, or approve high or moderate value career and technical education programs administered by one or more school corporations or charter schools. Provides that a real world career readiness student may attend an authorized program for a period of not more than one school year after the student's cohort's expected graduation year in order to obtain an industry recognized certification, credential, or postsecondary degree. Provides that a program must include an apprenticeship program, a cooperative program, or a work based learning program. Provides that a student may participate in an authorized program if the student: (1) participates in the Indiana career explorer program or curriculum or an alternative Internet based system and curriculum approved by the department of education, in consultation with the department of workforce development, that includes an aptitude assessment that demonstrates the student's aptitude, in a manner prescribed by the state board, on the aptitude assessment administered for the applicable field of study; or (2) meets alternative qualification requirements for the student's applicable field of study established by the state board in consultation with the department of workforce development. Provides that not later than July 1, 2019, each school corporation or charter high school, either solely, or in a cooperative or consortia with one or more school corporations or charter high schools, must participate in an authorized program beginning with a cohort with an expected graduation year of 2023. Provides that an eligible pupil, for purposes of calculating state tuition support, includes a student enrolled in a program.

1/25/2018 Passed Senate Education & Career Development Committee; yeas 9, nays 2; reassigned to Committee on Appropriations

SB177 THE INDIANA HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA (KRUSE D) Requires the state board of education (state board) to establish one Indiana diploma for individuals who successfully complete high school graduation requirements. (Current law establishes four different diplomas.) Provides that each Indiana diploma must include one of the following designations: (1) General designation. (2) Core 40 designation. (3) Core 40 with academic honors designation. (4) Core 40 with technical honors designation. Requires, in adopting Core 40 curriculum models, the state board to consider math course requirements other than Algebra II. Allows the state board to adopt rules to establish: (1) math course requirements; and (2) science course requirements; for the Core 40 curriculum models. Repeals provisions that: (1) require the state board to design a high school diploma for the high school fast track program; and (2) establish a subcommittee to make recommendations regarding diplomas and certain course requirements and develop the requirements for a career and technical education diploma.

2/6/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 48, nays 0

SB189 K-12 FUNDING (MISHLER R) Requires the budget agency to transfer from the K-12 state tuition reserve account to the state general fund the amount necessary to cover the K-12 state tuition distribution amount if it exceeds the appropriated amount. Limits the transfer to \$25,000,000 in state fiscal year 2017-2018 and \$75,000,000 for state fiscal year 2018-2019. Requires school corporations to report information about virtual education programs to the department of education.

1/22/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 49, nays

3/1/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 93, nays 0

3/2/2018 Returned to the Senate with amendments

SB205 SCHOOL CHOICE SCHOLARSHIPS (FREEMAN A) Provides that, if an eligible choice scholarship student (student) leaves an eligible school during the school year and transfers during the same school year to a different eligible school that has a choice scholarship available for that eligible school, the student may use the amount remaining of the choice scholarship awarded to the student for that school year to pay the tuition at the eligible school to which the student has transferred for the remainder of the school year. Provides that the student may not use the amounts if the student has previously transferred eligible schools during that same school year. Provides that any amounts distributed may not exceed the cost of tuition at the eligible school to which the student transfers.

1/25/2018 Passed Senate Education & Career Development Committee; yeas 11, nays 0; reassigned to Committee on Appropriations

SB232 ACCESS TO NUTRITIOUS FOOD PROGRAM (RUCKELSHAUS J) Establishes the access to nutritious food program (program) under the administration of the Indiana housing and community development authority (IHEDA). Provides that the purpose of the program is to focus on: (1) distribution of fresh and nutritious food; and (2) education in food preparation and nutrition in food

deserts. Defines "food desert". Requires the IHCD to convene an annual meeting to share best practices and information concerning effective programs and submit an annual report to the lieutenant governor and legislative council.

1/23/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 46, nays 3

2/15/2018 Passed House Family, Children & Human Affairs Committee; yeas 11, nays 0

2/15/2018 Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means pursuant to House Rule 127

SB235 TAX CREDIT FOR EDUCATION CONTRIBUTIONS (ALTING R) Provides for an adjusted gross income tax credit for donations to: (1) a public elementary school or public secondary school; or (2) a public school foundation. Provides that the maximum individual taxpayer credit is \$1,000 in the case of a single return or \$2,000 in the case of a joint return. Provides that the maximum corporate taxpayer credit is the greater of 10% of the corporation's total adjusted gross income tax liability or \$10,000.

2/1/2018 Passed Senate Appropriations Committee; yeas 13, nays 0

SB237 HANDGUN LICENSING (BRAY R) Replaces the dual license system (having "qualified" and "unlimited" licenses) with the single handgun license. Increases the duration of a four year handgun license to five years. Requires a law enforcement officer to whom an application for a handgun license is made to determine the applicant's: (1) country of citizenship; (2) place of birth; and (3) alien or admission number issued by United States Immigration and Customs Enforcement or any successor agency as applicable; when evaluating a noncitizen's application for a handgun license. Requires a law enforcement officer to whom an application for a handgun license is made to consult available local, state, and federal criminal history data banks, including the National Instant Criminal Background Check System (NICS), when determining whether possession of a firearm by an applicant would be a violation of state or federal law. Requires the superintendent of the state police to conduct a national fingerprint based criminal history check when investigating a person's eligibility for a license to carry a handgun. Prohibits a license to carry a handgun from being issued to a person who has certain pending charges.

1/30/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 49, nays 0

SB292 CRIMINAL LAW MATTERS (YOUNG M) Repeals the offense of auto theft and receiving stolen auto parts. Provides that a person who knowingly or intentionally exerts unauthorized control of a motor vehicle or a component part of a motor vehicle, with the intent to deprive the other person of any part of its value or use, commits theft, a Level 6 felony. Provides that a person who knowingly or intentionally exerts unauthorized control of a motor vehicle or a component part of a motor vehicle, with the intent to deprive the other person of any part of its value or use, and has a prior unrelated conviction for a qualifying offense, commits theft, a Level 5 felony. Defines "qualifying offense". Prohibits the expunged conviction records of an undocumented alien to be sealed or redacted. Prohibits a minor in adult court to waive, as part of a plea agreement, the right to transfer jurisdiction to juvenile court for adjudication and disposition under certain circumstances. Amends the statute concerning the suspension of a sentence for a person with a juvenile record. Makes conforming amendments.

2/5/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 41, nays 7

SB295 SCHOOL PROPERTY AND RELIGIOUS INSTITUTIONS (YOUNG M) Prohibits a sex offender from attending a house of worship located on school property while classes, extracurricular activities, or other school activities are being held.

2/5/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 36, nays 12

SB326 REDISTRICTING STANDARDS (WALKER G) Establishes redistricting standards for congressional and state legislative districts. Provides that the initial proposed plans for congressional and state legislative districts must comply with the redistricting standards. Allows the general assembly, during the process by which the initial proposed plans become effective by being enacted as a law, to consider and adopt modifications to the initial proposed plans that deviate from the redistricting standards as long as the reason or reasons for each deviation are publicly explained and documented.

2/5/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 42, nays 6

SB356 BROADBAND GRANTS FOR UNSERVED AREAS (HOUCHIN E) Authorizes the office of community and rural affairs (office) to award grants to qualified broadband providers in connection with qualified broadband projects involving the deployment of infrastructure to provide qualified broadband service in unserved areas in Indiana. Defines "qualified broadband service" as a connection to the Internet at an average speed of at least ten 10 megabits per second downstream and at least one megabit per second upstream, regardless of the technology used. Defines an "unserved area" as a geographic area in Indiana in which there is not at least one provider of terrestrial broadband service at the designated speeds. Provides that grants shall be made from the rural economic development fund. Provides that in awarding grants, the office shall give priority to qualified broadband projects proposed for unserved areas in which at least 85% of the total population is without access to qualified broadband service: (1) as of the date of the grant application; and (2) as determined by the Federal Communications Commission in its annual Broadband Progress Report. Requires the office to: (1) publish on its Internet web site all grant applications received; and (2) for each application received, establish a period of at least thirty 30 days from the date of publication, during which time the office will accept comments or objections concerning the application. Sets forth factors that the office must consider in determining whether to award a grant. Sets

forth conditions that apply to the awarding of grants. Requires the office to adopt guidelines to implement these provisions and authorizes the office to collaborate with state agencies and political subdivisions in adopting the guidelines and administering grants. Requires the office to annually submit to the general assembly a report that includes specified information on grants awarded and progress made in the deployment of broadband infrastructure in unserved areas. Requires the state board of accounts to conduct, every three years, an audit on the awarding of grants. Prohibits the office from disclosing information designated as confidential or proprietary business information by a grant applicant or recipient.

2/6/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 48, nays 0

SB397 COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS (BOOTS P) Specifies the funding amounts that must be provided by counties to community mental health centers. Provides that a county's maximum funding amount for a year is equal to the maximum funding amount for the previous year multiplied by the percentage change in the county's general fund property tax levy, after subtracting circuit breaker credits (but provides that the maximum funding amount will not be less than the preceding year's maximum funding amount). Phases-in this change in the case of Marion County. Requires the department of local government finance (DLGF) to verify the maximum appropriation calculation as part of the DLGF's certification of the county's budget. Specifies that the funding provided by a county to community mental health centers shall be used solely for: (1) the operations of community mental health centers serving the county; or (2) contributing to the nonfederal share of medical assistance payments to community mental health centers serving the county. Provides that unless otherwise agreed to by the county and the community mental health center, the county payment to the community mental health center shall be paid by the county treasurer to the treasurer of the community mental health center's board of directors at least as frequently as semiannually (in July and in December). Provides that a county's funding for community mental health centers shall be apportioned according to the proportion of: (1) the county's population residing in the primary service area of each center that is certified by the division of mental health and addiction; to (2) the total population of the county. Deletes provisions requiring the county to pay the appropriated amounts to the division of mental health and addiction (the division). Deletes the provisions specifying how the payments to the division must be made. Repeals a provision allowing the appropriation of an additional amount under certain circumstances. Provides that the governing board of a community mental health center must include a member of a county fiscal body or a member of a board of county commissioners, appointed by the board of county commissioners of the county where the community mental health center maintains its corporate mailing address. Requires a community mental health center to provide an annual report to the division and to the fiscal body and board of county commissioners of each county located in the community mental health center's primary service area. Specifies certain information that must be included in the annual report. Requires the division to review each annual report submitted by a community mental health center to determine whether the annual report is in the format required by the division and includes all information required by the division. Requires the division to provide an annual report containing certain information to the county fiscal body and board of county commissioners of each county.

2/6/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 46, nays 1

SB398 OFFICE BASED OPIOID TREATMENT PROGRAMS (HOUCHIN E) Urges the legislative council to assign to an appropriate interim study committee for the 2018 interim period the task of studying whether Indiana should impose a license requirement or other regulatory requirements on an office based opioid treatment program operating in Indiana and, if the committee determines that regulation is necessary, to identify the appropriate agency to perform the regulation.

2/6/2018 Third reading: yeas 47, nays 0

SB434 STUDY COMMITTEE (SPARTZ V) Urges the legislative council to assign to the education interim study committee the task of studying: (1) the current regulatory framework and methods to streamline regulatory compliance; and (2) the use of innovative solutions and public-private partnerships in delivering educational services and sharing of best practices.

1/30/2018 Third reading: passed; yeas 49, nays 0

2/13/2018 Passed House Education Committee; yeas 8, nays 2



VOTES ON LEGISLATION NOT ENACTED – HOUSE BILLS

	1016	1039	1055	1059	1110	1137	1165	1214	1230	1264	1315	1380	1424
<i>Senate</i>													
Ron Alting (R-22)		Y				Y		Y	Y		N		
Eric Bassler (R-39)		NV				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Vaneta Becker (R-50)		Y				Y		Y	Y		N		
Michael Bohacek (R-8)		Y				Y		Y	Y		N		
Philip Boots (R-23)		Y				Y		Y	N		Y		
Rodric Bray (R-37)		Y				Y		Y	NV		Y		Y
Jean Breaux (D-34)		Y				Y		Y	Y		N		
Liz Brown (R-15)		Y				N		N	Y		Y		
Brian Buchanan (R-7)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
James Buck (R-21)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Ed Charbonneau (R-5)		Y				Y		E	Y		E		
John Crane (R-24)		Y				N		N	Y		Y		
Michael Crider (R-28)		Y				Y		N	Y		Y		
Michael Delph (R-29)		Y				Y		Y	N		Y		Y
Blake Doriot (R-12)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Douglas Eckerty (R-26)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Jon Ford (R-38)		Y				Y		N	Y		N		
Aaron Freeman (R-32)		Y				N		N	N		Y		Y
Susan Glick (R-13)		Y				Y		N	Y		Y		Y
Ronald Grooms (R-46)		Y				Y		N	Y		Y		
Randall Head (R-18)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Travis Holdman (R-19)		Y				Y		N	Y		Y		
Erin Houchin (R-47)		Y				N		N	Y		Y		
Eric Koch (R-44)		Y				N		N	Y		Y		Y
Dennis Kruse (R-14)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Timothy Lanane (D-25)		Y				Y		Y	Y		N		N
Jean Leising (R-42)		Y				N		N	Y		Y		
David Long (R-16)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Eddie Melton (D-3)		Y				Y		Y	Y		N		
James Merritt (R-31)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Mark Messmer (R-48)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Ryan Mishler (R-9)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Frank Mrvan (D-1)		Y				Y		Y	NV		N		
Rick Niemeyer (R-6)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
David Niezgodski (D-10)		Y				Y		Y	Y		N		
Chip Perfect (R-43)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Jeff Raatz (R-27)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Lonnie Randolph (D-2)		Y				Y		Y	Y		N		N
John Ruckleshaus (R-30)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Jack Sandlin (R-36)		Y				Y		Y	N		Y		
James Smith (R-45)		E				E		N	NV		Y		
Victoria Spartz (R-20)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Mark Stoops (D-40)		Y				Y		Y	E		N		
Karen Tallian (D-4)		Y				Y		Y	Y		N		
Greg Taylor (D-33)		Y				Y		Y	NV		N		N
James Tomes (R-49)		Y				Y		Y	Y		N		
Greg Walker (R-41)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
Michael Young (R-35)		Y				Y		Y	N		Y		Y
Joseph Zakas (R-11)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Andy Zay (R-17)		Y				Y		Y	Y		Y		
<i>House</i>													
Terri Austin (D-36)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		Y
Mike Aylesworth (R-11)	N	E		E	E	E		E	E		E		Y

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Ronald Bacon (R-75)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
James Baird (R-44)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		N
Steve Bartels (R-74)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
John Bartlett (D-95)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		N
B Patrick Bauer (D-6)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	E		N	Y	N
Robert Behning (R-91)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y
Greg Beumer (R-33)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Bruce Borders (R-45)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Brian Bosma (R-88)	NV	NV		NV	NV	NV		Y	NV		NV		Y
Charlie Brown (D-3)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N	Y	N
Timothy Brown (R-41)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Woody Burton (R-58)	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y
Mara Candelaria Reardon (D-12)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		N
Martin Carbaugh (R-81)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Robert Cherry (R-53)	E	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		E
Edward Clere (R-72)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y
Anthony Cook (R-32)	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y
Wes Culver (R-49)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		NV		Y
Steven Davisson (R-73)	Y	Y		Y	E	E		Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
Edward DeLaney (D-86)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	N	N		N
Dale DeVon (R-5)	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		E
Ryan Dvorak (D-8)	Y	Y		Y	E	E		Y	Y		N		E
Sean Eberhart (R-57)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Jeff Ellington (R-62)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Karen Engleman (R-70)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Sue Errington (D-34)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	N	N		N
Dan Forestal (D-100)	Y	Y		Y	E	E		Y	E		E		E
William Friend (R-23)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
David Frizzell (R-93)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y	E	Y
Randall Frye (R-67)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		E		Y
Phillip GiaQuinta (D-80)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		N
Terry Goodin (D-66)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		E	Y		N		Y
Doug Gutwein (R-16)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Carey Hamilton (D-87)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		N
Richard Hamm (R-56)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		N
Earl Harris, Jr (D-2)	Y	E		E	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		N
Ryan Hatfield (D-77)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		Y
Robert Heaton (R-46)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Dave Heine (R-85)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Todd Huston (R-37)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		E	Y		Y		Y
Jack Jordan (R-17)	N	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y
Christopher Judy (R-83)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Michael Karickhoff (R-30)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Clyde Kersey (D-43)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		Y
Cindy Kirchhofer (R-89)	N	E		E	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
Sheila Klinker (D-27)	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N		Y
Linda Lawson (D-1)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		N
Don Lehe (R-25)	Y	E		E	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y	E	Y
Matthew Lehman (R-79)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Daniel Leonard (R-50)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Shane Lindauer (R-63)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Jim Lucas (R-69)	Y	Y	N	Y	Y	Y	E	E	NV	E	Y		N
Randall Lyness (R-68)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Karlee Macer (D-92)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		Y
Kevin Mahan (R-31)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Chris May (R-65)	N	Y		Y	E	E		Y	Y		Y		Y
Peggy Mayfield (R-60)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Wendy McNamara (R-76)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Doug Miller (R-48)	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
Justin Moed (D-97)	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		Y

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<i>Robert Morris (R-84)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Alan Morrison (R-42)</i>	E	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		E
<i>Charles Mosley (D-10)</i>	E	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		E
<i>Sharon Negele (R-13)</i>	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Curt Nisly (R-22)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>David Ober (R-82)</i>	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Julie Olthoff (R-19)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Scott Pelath (D-9)</i>	N	E		E	Y	Y		Y	NV		N		N
<i>Matt Pierce (D-61)</i>	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		N
<i>Gregory Porter (D-96)</i>	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N	E	N
<i>Jim Pressel (R-20)</i>	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		N
<i>Cherrish Pryor (D-94)</i>	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		N
<i>Kathy Richardson (R-29)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Thomas Saunders (R-54)</i>	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Donna Schaibley (R-24)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Robin Shackelford (D-98)</i>	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		NV	Y	N
<i>Sally Siegrist (R-26)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Harold Slager (R-15)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Ben Smaltz (R-52)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Milo Smith (R-59)</i>	N	Y		Y	E	E		E	E		E		Y
<i>Vernon Smith (D-14)</i>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	E	N		N
<i>Edmond Soliday (R-4)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Mike Speedy (R-90)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	NV		E		E
<i>Steven Stemler (D-71)</i>	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	E		E		Y
<i>Gregory Steuerwald (R-40)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Holli Sullivan (R-78)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		E	Y		Y		Y
<i>Vanessa Summers (D-99)</i>	E	Y		Y	E	E		Y	Y		N		E
<i>Joe Taylor (D-7)</i>	E	Y		Y	E	E		E	Y		N		E
<i>Jeffrey Thompson (R-28)</i>	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y
<i>Jerry Torr (R-39)</i>	N	Y		Y	E	E		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Heath VanNatter (R-38)</i>	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Thomas Washburne (R-64)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Timothy Wesco (R-21)</i>	N	Y	Y	E	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y		Y
<i>David Wolkins (R-18)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Melanie Wright (D-35)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		N		Y
<i>John Young (R-47)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y		Y
<i>Dennis Zent (R-51)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y	Y	Y
<i>Cindy Ziemke (R-55)</i>	N	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y		Y	Y	Y

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