

# RAMSEY FARRAR & BATES

## March 18th Calendar

Wed 3/18/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Education Curriculum, Testing & Innovation Subcommittee

MEMBERS: CHAIR D. Moody (R); J. Deberry Jr. (D); B. Dunn (R); M. White (R); D. Byrd (R); M. Cochran (R); H. Love Jr. (D)

- HB2818** **EDUCATION: Contracts governing schools in cases of casualty losses or natural disasters.** Allows local boards of education to enter into continuing contracts governing the use of Lamberth W. some or all of the LEA's schools in case of casualty losses or natural disasters. Broadly captioned.

**Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 17, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT

**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Education Committee 03/18/20.

**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Education Curriculum, Testing & Innovation Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee; Wed 3/18/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Education Curriculum, Testing & Innovation Subcommittee; SB2672 - J. Johnson - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Education Committee 03/18/20.

Wed 3/18/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm I, House Local Committee

MEMBERS: CHAIR J. Crawford (R); VICE CHAIR D. Wright (R); R. Grills (R); M. Hall (R); J. Chism (D); M. Carter (R); R. Travis (R); R. Tillis (R); T. Rudd (R); B. Ramsey (R); J. Moon (R); L. Lamar (D); G. Johnson (D); E. Helton (R); Y. Hakeem (D); D. Carr (R); K. Calfee (R)

- HR250** **CAMPAIGNS & LOBBYING: Confirmation of appointment - Duane Gilbert, Tennessee Ethics Commission.** Confirms the appointment of Duane Gilbert to the Tennessee Ethics Commission.

**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Local Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm I, House Local Committee;
- HB2362** **CAMPAIGNS & LOBBYING: Increases representatives allowed to be present to confirm voting machine preparation.** Allows county executive committee chairs and county primary board chairs to designate up to two representatives, instead of one, to be present to confirm voting machines are properly prepared for use in an election. Broadly captioned.

**Amendment Summary:** House Elections & Campaign Finance Subcommittee amendment 1 (016662) deletes all language after the enacting clause and rewrites the bill. Excludes counties using electronic ballot marking systems or ballot-on-demand technology approved by the coordinator of elections from following procedures for paper ballots. Removes requirement for a ballot stub number to be preprinted on the paper ballot when using an electronic ballot marking system or ballot-on-demand technology approved by the coordinator of elections. House Elections & Campaign Finance Subcommittee amendment 2 (016660) prohibits an elected official or an employee of a municipal, county, state, or federal governmental body or agency from serving as a member of a county election commission, and prohibits members of an election commission from serving as the campaign manager or treasurer of a candidate's political campaign.

**Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 5, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT

**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/18/20.

**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Local Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/11/20 9:00am - House Hearing Rm IV, House Elections & Campaign Finance Subcommittee; Tue 3/17/20 10:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Wed 3/18/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm I, House Local Committee; Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; SB2297 - T. Gardenhire - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/18/20.

Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - House Hearing Rm II, House Higher Education Subcommittee

The committee will meet immediately following the House Education Curriculum, Testing & Innovation Subcommittee. MEMBERS: CHAIR J. Coley (R); C. Hurt (R); A. Parkinson (D); K. Vaughan (R); M. White (R); J. Clemmons (D); D. Hawk (R); J. Hodges (D)

- HB2472** **EDUCATION: Lottery scholarship- clarifies definition of academic year.** Clarifies language regarding the definition of academic year for lottery scholarship purposes. Broadly captioned.

**Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 29, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT

**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Education Committee 03/18/20.

**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Higher Education Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/11/20 12:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee; Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee; Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - House Hearing Rm II, House Higher Education Subcommittee; SB1973 - D. Gresham - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Education Committee 03/18/20.

Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee

MEMBERS: CHAIR D. Gresham (R); VICE CHAIR B. Kelsey (R); 2ND VICE CHAIR R. Akbari (D); M. Bell (R); R. Crowe (R); S. Dickerson (R); F. Haile (R); J. Hensley (R); J. Lundberg (R)

- SB1973** **EDUCATION: Lottery scholarship- clarifies definition of academic year.** Clarifies language regarding the definition of academic year for lottery scholarship purposes. Broadly captioned.

**Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 29, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT

**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Education Committee 03/18/20.

**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Higher Education Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/11/20 12:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee; Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee; Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - House Hearing Rm II, House Higher Education Subcommittee; HB2472 - M. White - 03/17/20 - Set for House Higher Education Subcommittee 03/18/20.
- SB2672** **EDUCATION: Contracts governing schools in cases of casualty losses or natural disasters.** Allows local boards of education to enter into continuing contracts governing the use of some or all of the LEA's schools in case of casualty losses or natural disasters. Broadly captioned.

**Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 17, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT

**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Education Committee 03/18/20.

**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Education Curriculum, Testing & Innovation Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee; Wed 3/18/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Education Curriculum, Testing & Innovation Subcommittee; HB2818 - W. Lamberth - 03/17/20 - Set for House Education Curriculum, Testing & Innovation Subcommittee 03/18/20.
- SJR1237** **EDUCATION: Confirmation of appointment - Dr. Edmund Ford, Jr., Standards Recommendation Committee for English Language Arts and Mathematics.** Confirms the appointment of Dr. Edmund Ford, Jr., to the standards recommendation committee for English language arts and mathematics.

**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Education Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee;
- SJR1238** **EDUCATION: Confirmation of appointment - Dr. Rita Sowell, Standards Recommendation Committee for English Language Arts and Mathematics.** Confirms the appointment of Dr. Rita Sowell to the standards recommendation committee for English language arts and mathematics.

**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Education Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee;

5. SJR1239 **EDUCATION: Confirmation of appointment - Benita Albert, Standards Recommendation Committee for English Language Arts and Mathematics.** Confirms the appointment of McNally R. Benita Albert to the standards recommendation committee for English language arts and mathematics.  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Education Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee;
6. SJR1262 **EDUCATION: Confirmation of appointment - John Combs, State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission.** Confirms the appointment of John Combs to the State McNally R. Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission.  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Education Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Education Committee;

Wed 3/18/20 9:00am - House Chamber, House Consent

The House will take up the following memorializing resolutions on consent: HR267-268, HJR1030-1034, SJR1085, SJR1095-1098 and SJR1100-1113.

Wed 3/18/20 9:30am - House Hearing Rm II, House Public Service & Employee Subcommittee

MEMBERS: CHAIR J. Reedy (R); R. Bricken (R); G. Hicks (R); K. Keisling (R); H. Love Jr. (D); J. Shaw (D); P. Marsh (R)

1. **HB2815 LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Electronic participation in local meetings in Crossville.** Allows the governing body of the city of Crossville to allow participation in public meetings by electronic Sexton C. or other means.  
**Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 12, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/18/20.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Public Service & Employee Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 9:30am - House Hearing Rm II, House Public Service & Employee Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; SB2897 - P. Bailey - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/18/20.

Wed 3/18/20 9:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Safety & Funding Subcommittee

MEMBERS: CHAIR T. Weaver (R); D. Carr (R); D. Howell (R); L. Lamar (D); J. Potts (D); L. Russell (R); B. Griffey (R)

1. **HB1605 TRANSPORTATION VEHICLES: New specialty earmarked license plate for Southern leopard frog.** Creates a new specialty earmarked license plate for the Southern leopard frog (Lithobates sphenoccephalus). Specifies that the funds produced from the sale of such new specialty earmarked license plates must be deposited in the wildlife resources fund to be used exclusively for management, protection, propagation, and conservation of fish and wildlife species, including the Southern Leopard frog, and the protection and enhancement of such species habitats.  
**Amendment Summary:** Senate Transportation & Safety Committee amendment 1 (015783) creates various new specialty license plates. Makes eligible the spouses of Free and Accepted Masons for obtaining a specialty license plate.  
**Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 26, 2020) Increase State Revenue \$15,700/FY20-21/Wildlife Resources Fund \$12,500/FY20-21/Tennessee Arts Commission \$3,100/FY20-21/Highway Fund \$17,500/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/Wildlife Resources Fund \$14,000/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/Tennessee Arts Commission \$3,500/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/Highway Fund Other Fiscal Impacts The Department of Revenue will retain approximately \$3,640 from the sale of every 1,000 license plates to compensate TRICOR for production, warehousing, and distribution costs. TRICOR will receive approximately \$140 in net revenue in FY20-21.  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Safety & Funding Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/4/20 10:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Transportation & Safety Committee; Tue 3/10/20 9:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Safety & Funding Subcommittee; Tue 3/17/20 9:00am - CANCELED, House Safety & Funding Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 9:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Safety & Funding Subcommittee; SB1591 - B. Massey - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.

Wed 3/18/20 10:00am - House Hearing Rm I, House Judiciary Committee

MEMBERS: CHAIR M. Curcio (R); J. Garrett (R); B. Ogles (R); A. Parkinson (D); J. Potts (D); I. Rudder (R); P. Sherrell (R); J. Towns Jr. (D); J. VanHuss (R); A. Farmer (R); G. Hardaway (D); D. Moody (R); B. Mitchell (D); M. Littleton (R); W. Lamberth (R); B. Beck (D); K. Camper (D); M. Carter (R); M. Daniel (R); C. Doggett (R); R. Eldridge (R); B. Griffey (R); D. Howell (R); B. Hulsey (R); C. Johnson (R)

1. **HB1583 CRIMINAL LAW: Expands residential and work restrictions for sexual offender registration and monitoring.** Broadens restrictions for sexual offenders visiting, conducting overnight visits or being alone with a minor by removing the specified condition that they cannot do so if they have been convicted of a sexual offense of violent sexual offense of a child under 12 years of age. Broadly captioned.  
**Amendment Summary:** Senate amendment 1, House Criminal Justice Subcommittee amendment 1 (014475) creates an exception to, instead of deleting, the present law prohibition against sex offenders who have been convicted of a sexual offense or violent sexual offense the victim of which was a child under 12 years of age being allowed to reside, conduct an overnight visit, or be alone with a minor even if the offender is the parent of the minor. Under this amendment, a person who commits a sexual offense or a violent sexual offense against a child under 12 years of age may be allowed to reside, conduct an overnight visit, or be alone with a minor who is the offender's child so long as: (1) The offender's parental rights are not being terminated; (2) The sexual offender's victim was not the offender's child; and (3) A circuit court exercising civil jurisdiction has not found by clear and convincing evidence that the offender presents a danger of substantial harm to the minor. This bill authorizes district attorneys general to petition the circuit courts to make a finding that the offender presents a danger of substantial harm to the minor as described in (3) at any time the offender is required to register as a sexual offender or violent sexual offender. The offender must receive due process. The court records associated with a determination under this amendment will generally be confidential to persons not involved in the hearing. If the court finds that the offender presents a danger of substantial harm to the minor, the district attorney general must provide the court's finding to the offender's registering agency. The offender may appeal the circuit court's decision to the court of appeals, but the circuit court's order must stay in effect pending the appeal. No sooner than two years after the date of entry of the circuit court's order, an offender may petition the court for reconsideration of the order at a hearing where the offender must show, by clear and convincing evidence, that the offender no longer presents a danger of substantial harm to the minor.  
**Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 21, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 02/24/20 - Senate passed with amendment 1 (014475).  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Judiciary Committee 03/18/20. Tue 1/28/20 3:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Judiciary Committee; Tue 2/11/20 3:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Judiciary Committee; Tue 2/18/20 3:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Judiciary Committee; Tue 2/25/20 12:00pm - House Hearing Rm III, House Criminal Justice Subcommittee; Mon 2/24/20 4:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/4/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Judiciary Committee; Wed 3/11/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Judiciary Committee; Wed 3/18/20 10:00am - House Hearing Rm I, House Judiciary Committee; SB1568 - J. Hensley - 02/24/20 - Senate passed with amendment 1 (014475).

Wed 3/18/20 10:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Transportation Committee

The committee will meet immediately following the House Safety & Funding Subcommittee. MEMBERS: CHAIR D. Howell (R); VICE CHAIR B. Griffey (R); R. Grills (R); S. Whitson (R); T. Weaver (R); J. Towns Jr. (D); M. Stewart (D); L. Russell (R); J. Potts (D); L. Lamar (D); K. Keisling (R); C. Hurt (R); B. Dunn (R); G. Casada (R); D. Carr (R); C. Boyd (R)

1. **HB1604** **TRANSPORTATION GENERAL: Notice regarding relocation of utility facilities located in a state highway right-of-way.** Increases, from 10 to 30, the number of days an owner of utility facilities located in a state highway right-of-way has to respond to a second relocation notice, and the number of days an owner has to file the reservation of rights notice with the department of transportation. Broadly captioned.  
Howell D.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate amendment 1 (015781) renames various roads and bridges.  
**Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 13, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/09/20 - Senate passed with amendment 1 (015781), which renames various roads and bridges.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Transportation Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/4/20 10:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Transportation & Safety Committee; Wed 3/11/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm IV, House Infrastructure Subcommittee; Mon 3/9/20 4:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 10:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Transportation Committee; SB1590 - B. Massey - 03/09/20 - Senate passed with amendment 1 (015781), which renames various roads and bridges.

Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Public Health Subcommittee

MEMBERS: CHAIR J. Sexton (R); V. Dixie (D); M. Hill (R); L. Miller (D); B. Terry (R); J. VanHuss (R); R. Williams (R)

1. **HB2505** **TENNCARE: Creates the Tennessee rare disease advisory council.** Creates the Tennessee rare disease advisory council to advise TennCare committees and other private and public agencies providing assistance to those diagnosed with rare diseases. Creates requirements for council membership and duties such as reviewing products and prescriptions used to treat rare diseases.  
Hawk D.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate amendment 1 (015848) adds language to the original bill that states the Council is administratively attached to the Division for the purpose of submitting meeting minutes compiled by the Council secretary to the Drug Utilization Review Committee (DUR) and the Pharmacy Advisory Committee (PAC). Senate amendment 2 (015761) sets the Tennessee rare disease advisory council for termination on June 30, 2022.  
**Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 28, 2020) Increase State Expenditures - \$60,500/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years Increase Federal Expenditures - \$116,800/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years  
**Senate Status:** 03/12/20 - Senate passed with amendment 1 (015848) amendment 2 (015761).  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Public Health Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/4/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Tue 3/3/20 10:30am - CANCELED, House Public Health Subcommittee; Tue 3/10/20 10:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Public Health Subcommittee; Mon 3/9/20 1:45pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Health & Welfare Committee; Thu 3/12/20 8:30am - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - CANCELED, House Public Health Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Public Health Subcommittee; SB2124 - S. Reeves - 03/12/20 - Senate passed with amendment 1 (015848) amendment 2 (015761).
2. **HB2860** **WELFARE: Requires DHS to create an app for TANF programs.** Requires the department of human services to create a phone app for citizens to search and apply for programs that use TANF funds. Specifies that the app must also offer means by which the citizen may electronically apply to the programs and offer reminders to the citizen of any pending information needed to be submitted to complete an application. Broadly captioned.  
Terry B.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 7, 2020) Increase State Expenditures - \$350,000/FY20-21 \$60,000/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years Other Fiscal Impact Federal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) funding may be available for a portion of the increase in state expenditures. However, the extent and timing of any such funding is unknown.  
**Senate Status:** 03/11/20 - Senate Health & Welfare Committee deferred to next available calendar.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Public Health Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 3/10/20 10:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Public Health Subcommittee; Mon 3/9/20 1:45pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Health & Welfare Committee; Wed 3/11/20 2:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Health & Welfare Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - CANCELED, House Public Health Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Public Health Subcommittee; SB2665 - D. White - 03/11/20 - Senate Health & Welfare Committee deferred to next available calendar.

Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - House Hearing Rm II, House State Committee

MEMBERS: CHAIR K. Keisling (R); VICE CHAIR R. Eldridge (R); C. Todd (R); P. Marsh (R); J. Moon (R); J. Powell (D); B. Ramsey (R); J. Reedy (R); J. Shaw (D); R. Staples (D); R. Tillis (R); H. Love Jr. (D); M. Littleton (R); J. Lafferty (R); B. Beck (D); R. Bricken (R); G. Casada (R); A. Farmer (R); C. Halford (R); G. Hicks (R); B. Hulsey (R)

1. **HR219** **CRIMINAL LAW: Confirmation of appointment - Jimmy Ray Farris, Jr., Tennessee POST Commission.** Confirms the appointment of Jimmy Ray Farris, Jr., of Lebanon to the Tennessee Peace Officer Standards and Training Commission.  
Sexton C.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House State Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - House Hearing Rm II, House State Committee;
2. **HB2832** **TAXES GENERAL: Changes distribution requirements for proceeds received by local political subdivisions.** Removes specific date restrictions for distributing proceeds received by a local political subdivision. Removes distribution requirements for proceeds received in each local political subdivision after July 1, 2020.  
Calfee K.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 27, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/10/20 - Senate State & Local Government Committee recommended. Sent to Senate Calendar Committee.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House State Committee 03/18/20. Tue 3/10/20 12:00pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Department & Agencies Subcommittee; Tue 3/10/20 9:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Tue 3/17/20 10:30am - CANCELED, House State Committee; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - House Hearing Rm II, House State Committee; SB2523 - R. Briggs - 03/10/20 - Senate State & Local Government Committee recommended. Sent to Senate Calendar Committee.

Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee

MEMBERS: CHAIR B. Watson (R); VICE CHAIR J. Stevens (R); 2ND VICE CHAIR J. Hensley (R); J. Yarbro (D); K. Yager (R); B. Kelsey (R); J. Johnson (R); F. Haile (R); B. Gilmore (D); T. Gardenhire (R); R. Briggs (R)

1. **SB1591** **TRANSPORTATION VEHICLES: New specialty earmarked license plate for Southern leopard frog.** Creates a new specialty earmarked license plate for the Southern leopard frog (Lithobates sphenoccephalus). Specifies that the funds produced from the sale of such new specialty earmarked license plates must be deposited in the wildlife resources fund to be used exclusively for management, protection, propagation, and conservation of fish and wildlife species, including the Southern Leopard frog, and the protection and enhancement of such species habitats.  
Massey B.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate Transportation & Safety Committee amendment 1 (015783) creates various new specialty license plates. Makes eligible the spouses of Free and Accepted Masons for obtaining a specialty license plate.  
**Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 26, 2020) Increase State Revenue \$15,700/FY20-21/Wildlife Resources Fund \$12,500/FY20-21/Tennessee Arts Commission \$3,100/FY20-21/Highway Fund \$17,500/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/Wildlife Resources Fund \$14,000/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/Tennessee Arts Commission \$3,500/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/Highway Fund Other Fiscal Impacts The Department of Revenue will retain approximately \$3,640 from the sale of every 1,000 license plates to compensate TRICOR for production, warehousing, and distribution costs. TRICOR will receive approximately \$140 in net revenue in FY20-21.  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Safety & Funding Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/4/20 10:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Transportation & Safety Committee; Tue 3/10/20 9:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Safety & Funding Subcommittee; Tue 3/17/20 9:00am - CANCELED, House Safety & Funding Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 9:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Safety & Funding Subcommittee; HB1605 - D. Howell - 03/17/20 - Set for House Safety & Funding Subcommittee 03/18/20.

2. **SB1892** **INSURANCE HEALTH: Requires a health insurance entity to cover telehealth services.** Requires a health insurance entity to cover telehealth services similarly to in person services. Swann A. Prohibits a health insurance entity from denying coverage because the service provided classified as telemedicine and not an in person encounter and requires the health insurance entity to reimburse health care service providers without consideration for the patients geographic location and for out of network providers of telemedicine under the same policies used for out of network in person services. Broadly captioned.
- Amendment Summary:** House Insurance Committee amendment 1 (015470) deletes and rewrites all language after the enacting clause such that the only substantive changes are: Requires a health insurance entity to reimburse an originating site hosting a patient as part of a telehealth encounter an originating site fee in accordance with CMS telehealth services rule 42 C.F.R. § 410.78 and at the amount established by CMS. HB 1699 - SB 1892 2 Tenn. Code Ann. § 56-7-1003(6) defines "provider-based telemedicine" as the use of Health Insurance Portability and Accessibility Act (HIPAA) (42 U.S.C. § 1320d et seq.) compliant real-time, interactive audio, video telecommunications, or electronic technology, or store-and-forward telemedicine services, used over the course of an interactive visit by a healthcare services provider to deliver healthcare services to a patient within the scope of practice of the healthcare services provider when certain criteria are met. States that it does not include an audio-only conversation; an electronic mail message or phone text message; a facsimile transmission; remote patient monitoring; or healthcare services provided pursuant to a contractual relationship between a health insurance entity and an entity that facilitates the delivery of provider based telemedicine as the substantial portion of the entity's business. Requires an in-person encounter between the healthcare service provider, the provider's practice group, or the healthcare system and the patient within 18 months prior to a telehealth encounter prior to the provider-based telemedicine service; Requires a health insurance entity to provide coverage and reimbursement for healthcare services provided during a provider-based telemedicine encounter in a manner that is consistent with what the health insurance policy or contract provides for in-person encounters for the same service; and declares nothing requires a healthcare services provider to submit a claim for reimbursement to a health insurance entity for provider-based telemedicine services. Exempts a health incentive program operated by a health insurance entity that utilizes an electronic device for physiological monitoring from being considered remote patient monitoring services required to be covered if the same service is covered by Medicare. Defines "telehealth", "telemedicine" and "provider-based telemedicine" notwithstanding any restriction imposed by Tenn. Code Ann. § 56-7-1002 or § 56-7-1003, as the use of real-time audio, video, or other electronic media and telecommunication technology that enables interaction between a healthcare provider and a patient; or store-and-forward telemedicine services, as defined in Tenn. Code Ann. § 56-7-1002, for the purpose of diagnosis, consultation, or treatment of a patient in another location where there may be no in-person exchange.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 7, 2020) Increase State Expenditures \$1,139,300/FY21-22 \$1,154,200/FY22-23 and Subsequent Years Increase Federal Expenditures \$2,170,600/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years Increase Local Expenditures Exceeds \$2,900/FY21-22\* Exceeds \$5,900/FY22-23 and Subsequent Years\*
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Mon 2/10/20 1:00pm - House Hearing Rm III, Joint Council on Pensions and Insurance; Wed 2/12/20 12:30pm - CANCELED, House Life & Health Insurance Subcommittee; Wed 2/19/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House Life & Health Insurance Subcommittee; Mon 2/24/20 1:00pm - House Hearing Rm III, Joint Council on Pensions and Insurance; Wed 2/26/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House Life & Health Insurance Subcommittee; Tue 3/3/20 1:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Insurance Committee; Wed 3/11/20 11:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; Tue 3/10/20 1:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Commerce & Labor Committee; Tue 3/17/20 12:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Commerce & Labor Committee; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; HB1699 - R. Smith - 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20.
3. **SJR836** **GOVERNMENT REGULATION: Increase of 911 surcharge rate as approved by TN Emergency Communications Board.** Ratifies the increase of the 911 surcharge rate to \$1.50 as approved by the Tennessee Emergency Communications Board. Bowling J.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 19, 2020) Increase State Revenue \$12,533,500/FY20-21/ 911 Emergency Communications Fund \$25,066,900/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/ 911 Emergency Communications Fund
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20. Tue 2/25/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Tue 3/10/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee;
4. **SB2466** **PUBLIC FINANCE: Appropriations- FY2019 and FY2020.** Makes appropriations for the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2019, and July 1, 2020. Johnson J.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee Calendar 2; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; HB2821 - W. Lamberth - 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20.
5. **SB2469** **PUBLIC FINANCE: Bond issuance.** Authorizes the state of Tennessee, acting by resolution of its funding board, to issue and sell general obligations bonds of the state in amounts not to exceed \$124 million. Johnson J.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 16, 2020) Increase State Expenditures \$13,640,000 First Year Debt Service \$202,120,000 Over the life of the bonds \$124,000,000 Principal \$78,120,000 Interest The Governors proposed budget for FY20-21, on page A-13, recognizes a proposed bond authorization of \$124,000,000.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee Calendar 2; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; HB2820 - W. Lamberth - 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20.
6. **SB2468** **PUBLIC FINANCE: Index of appropriations.** Authorizes the index of appropriations from state tax revenues for 2019-2020 fiscal year to exceed the index of estimated growth in the state's economy by \$629 million or 3.6 percent. Johnson J.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 8, 2020) Other Fiscal Impact Authorizes an increase in appropriations from state tax revenue for FY19-20 by \$629,000,000.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee Calendar 2; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; HB2819 - W. Lamberth - 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20.
7. **SB2467** **PUBLIC FINANCE: Statutory provisions necessary to implement appropriations act.** Clarifies that fees paid by a defendant requesting pretrial diversion are to be deposited in the general fund. Specifies the remittance and allowed uses of certain fees under the sexual offender registry provisions. Makes other statutory revisions necessary to implementation of the annual appropriations act. Broadly captioned. Johnson J.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 16, 2020) Increase State Revenue \$3,887,100/FY20-21/General Fund \$2,832,900/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/General Fund Decrease State Revenue - \$3,887,100/FY20-21/TBI \$2,832,900/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/TBI The Governors proposed budget document for FY20-21 (page B-214) includes recurring funding of \$3,958,200 to the TBI.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee Calendar 2; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; HB2822 - W. Lamberth - 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20.

Wed 3/18/20 11:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Health Committee

The committee will meet immediately following the House Public Health Subcommittee. MEMBERS: CHAIR B. Terry (R); VICE CHAIR E. Helton (R); R. Williams (R); P. Sherrell (R); R. Smith (R); J. VanHuss (R); K. Vaughan (R); S. Whitson (R); J. Clemmons (D); B. Freeman (D); B. Ramsey (R); M. White (R); J. Sexton (R); L. Miller (D); T. Leatherwood (R); D. Byrd (R); B. Cooper (D); V. Dixie (D); R. Gant (R); M. Hall (R); M. Hill (R); D. Jernigan (D); S. Kumar (R)

Wed 3/18/20 11:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Insurance Committee

MEMBERS: CHAIR R. Smith (R); VICE CHAIR M. Hall (R); R. Williams (R); B. Terry (R); D. Thompson (D); J. Zachary (R); M. Daniel (R); J. Faison (R); D. Hawk (R); S. Kumar (R); B. Mitchell (D); J. VanHuss (R); M. Sparks (R); T. Rudd (R); D. Powers (R); S. Cepicky (R); R. Gant (R); J. Garrett (R); M. Hill (R); T. Hill (R); J. Hodges (D); D. Jernigan (D); J. Lafferty (R); L. Miller (D)

1. HB2170 **TENNCARE: Annual Coverage Assessment Act of 2020.** Enacts the Annual Coverage Assessment Act of 2020, which establishes an annual coverage assessment on hospitals of 4.52 percent of a covered hospital's annual coverage assessment base.  
 Hazlewood P.  
**Amendment Summary:** Senate Health & Welfare Committee amendment 1 (014926) deletes all language after the enacting clause. Enacts the Annual Coverage Assessment Act of 2020, which establishes an annual coverage assessment on hospitals of 4.87 percent of a covered hospital's annual coverage assessment base. Adds a new subdivision to Tenn. Code Ann. § 71-5-2005(d)(1) that designates \$50,000 of the funds from the Assessment to fund the cost of a pilot program with the TennCare managed care organizations to improve care coordination for TennCare enrollees and reduce administrative burden.  
**Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 15, 2020) Increase State Revenue - \$568,600,800/FY20-21/ Maintenance Coverage Trust Fund Increase State Expenditures - \$568,600,800/FY20-21/ Maintenance Coverage Trust Fund Increase Federal Expenditures - \$1,097,519,300/FY20-21/ Maintenance Coverage Trust Fund Revenue recognition in the amount of \$568,600,800 is included in the Governors proposed FY20-21 budget (page A-34). Corresponding non-recurring appropriations in the amount of \$1,666,120,100 (\$568,600,800 in state funds and \$1,097,519,300 in federal matching funds) are also included.  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Insurance Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/4/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House TennCare Subcommittee; Wed 3/11/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House TennCare Subcommittee; Mon 3/9/20 1:45pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Health & Welfare Committee; Tue 3/17/20 12:00pm - CANCELED, House Insurance Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 11:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Insurance Committee; SB2022 - F. Haile - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
  
2. HB2138 **TENNCARE: Nursing home assessment trust fund - notice regarding reducing payments for nursing facility and nursing home services.** Requires the bureau of TennCare to provide notice to the chairs of the health and welfare committee of the senate and the health committee of the house prior to reducing payments on a pro rata basis for nursing facility and nursing home services so as not to exceed the amounts held in the nursing home assessment trust fund.  
 Johnson C.  
**Amendment Summary:** Senate Health & Welfare Committee amendment 1, House TennCare Subcommittee amendment 1 (015517) deletes all language after the enacting clause. Extends the annual nursing home assessment for FY20-21.  
**Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 4, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Insurance Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/11/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House TennCare Subcommittee; Mon 3/9/20 1:45pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Health & Welfare Committee; Tue 3/17/20 12:00pm - CANCELED, House Insurance Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 11:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Insurance Committee; SB2123 - S. Reeves - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.

Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Education Committee

MEMBERS: CHAIR M. White (R); VICE CHAIR K. Haston (R); G. Johnson (D); J. Ragan (R); I. Rudder (R); J. Sexton (R); K. Vaughan (R); T. Weaver (R); J. Windle (D); C. Baum (R); D. Hawk (R); J. Clemmons (D); A. Parkinson (D); D. Moody (R); H. Love Jr. (D); D. Byrd (R); S. Cepicky (R); M. Cochran (R); J. Coley (R); J. Deberry Jr. (D); V. Dixie (D); B. Dunn (R); J. Hodges (D); C. Hurt (R)

1. HJR797 **EDUCATION: Confirmation of appointment - Frank Cagle, Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission.** Confirms the appointment of Frank Cagle of Strawberry Plains to the State Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission.  
 Farmer A.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Education Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Education Committee;
  
2. HJR1026 **EDUCATION: Confirmation of Appointment - Dr. Edmund Ford, Jr. to the Standards Recommendation Committee for English Language Arts and Mathematics.** Confirms the appointment of Dr. Edmund Ford, Jr. to the Standards Recommendation Committee for English Language Arts and Mathematics.  
 Sexton C.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Education Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Education Committee;
  
3. HJR1027 **EDUCATION: Confirmation of Appointment - Dr. Rita Sowell to the Standards Recommendation Committee for English Language Arts and Mathematics.** Confirms the appointment of Dr. Rita Sowell to the Standards Recommendation Committee for English Language Arts and Mathematics.  
 Sexton C.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Education Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Education Committee;
  
4. HJR1028 **EDUCATION: Confirmation of Appointment - Benita Albert to the Standards Recommendation Committee for English Language Arts and Mathematics.** Confirms the appointment of Benita Albert to the Standards Recommendation Committee for English Language Arts and Mathematics.  
 Sexton C.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Education Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Education Committee;
  
5. HJR1029 **EDUCATION: Confirmation of Appointment - John Combs to the Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission.** Confirms the appointment of John Combs to the Textbook and Instructional Materials Quality Commission.  
 Sexton C.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Education Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Education Committee;

Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee

MEMBERS: CHAIR S. Dickerson (R); VICE CHAIR R. Briggs (R); 2ND VICE CHAIR T. Gardenhire (R); E. Jackson (R); B. Kelsey (R); S. Reeves (R); D. White (R); K. Yager (R); J. Yarbro (D)

1. SB2897 **LOCAL GOVERNMENT: Electronic participation in local meetings in Crossville.** Allows the governing body of the city of Crossville to allow participation in public meetings by electronic or other means.  
 Bailey P.  
**Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 12, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/18/20.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Public Service & Employee Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 9:30am - House Hearing Rm II, House Public Service & Employee Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; HB2815 - C. Sexton - 03/17/20 - Set for House Public Service & Employee Subcommittee 03/18/20.

2. **SB2298** JACKSON E. **CAMPAIGNS & LOBBYING: Checking status of online voter registration.** Authorizes the state coordinator of elections to include instructions on website regarding the ability of an applicant who submitted an online voter registration to check the status of the application after its submission.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate State & Local Government Committee amendment 1, House amendment 1 (014852) deletes all language after the enacting clause. Deletes the provision of statute requiring a person or organization that establishes a voter registration or voter lookup website to display a disclaimer that the voter information is not in conjunction with the Secretary of State (SOS). Deletes the provision establishing that violating the disclaimer statute is a Class A misdemeanor. Deletes the provision of statute authorizing the State Election Commission to impose a civil penalty upon a person or organization that files 100 or more incomplete voter registration applications from a voter registration drive. Establishes that a voter registration drive is any collection of voter registration applications for the purpose of registering another person to vote, rather than an attempted collection of applications from 100 or more people. Deletes the requirement for a person or agent of an organization to file a sworn statement that the person or organization will obey all laws regarding the registration of voters and ensure that all individuals conducting a voter registration drive have completed the training administered by the Coordinator of Elections. Authorizes an individual conducting a voter registration drive to voluntarily take the training administered by the Coordinator of Elections, rather than mandatorily. Increases, from 10 days to 15 calendar days, the timeframe in which a person or organization collecting voter registration applications is required to submit the applications to the county election commission. Clarifies that a person or organization conducting a voter registration drive is prohibited from retaining personal identifying information from a voter registration electronically or physically. Authorizes the State Election Commission to impose a maximum civil penalty of \$50.00 for each violation of these provisions.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 8, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/09/20 - House passed with amendment 1 (014852). Wed 2/19/20 10:00am - House Hearing Rm IV, House Elections & Campaign Finance Subcommittee; Tue 2/25/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Wed 2/26/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Local Committee; Tue 3/3/20 10:30am - CANCELED, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Thu 3/5/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm I, House Calendar & Rules Committee; Tue 3/10/20 9:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Mon 3/9/20 5:00pm - House Chamber, House Floor; Tue 3/17/20 10:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; HB2363 - T. Rudd - 03/09/20 - House passed with amendment 1 (014852).
3. **SB2297** GARDENHIRE T. **CAMPAIGNS & LOBBYING: Increases representatives allowed to be present to confirm voting machine preparation.** Allows county executive committee chairs and county primary board chairs to designate up to two representatives, instead of one, to be present to confirm voting machines are properly prepared for use in an election. Broadly captioned.
- Amendment Summary:** House Elections & Campaign Finance Subcommittee amendment 1 (016662) deletes all language after the enacting clause and rewrites the bill. Excludes counties using electronic ballot marking systems or ballot-on-demand technology approved by the coordinator of elections from following procedures for paper ballots. Removes requirement for a ballot stub number to be preprinted on the paper ballot when using an electronic ballot marking system or ballot-on-demand technology approved by the coordinator of elections. House Elections & Campaign Finance Subcommittee amendment 2 (016660) prohibits an elected official or an employee of a municipal, county, state, or federal governmental body or agency from serving as a member of a county election commission, and prohibits members of an election commission from serving as the campaign manager or treasurer of a candidate's political campaign.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 5, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate State & Local Government Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Local Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/11/20 9:00am - House Hearing Rm IV, House Elections & Campaign Finance Subcommittee; Tue 3/17/20 10:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Wed 3/18/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm I, House Local Committee; Wed 3/18/20 12:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; HB2362 - M. Carter - 03/17/20 - Set for House Local Committee 03/18/20.
- Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee
- MEMBERS: CHAIR M. Daniel (R); VICE CHAIR I. Rudder (R); M. Littleton (R); G. Johnson (D); J. Faison (R); M. Stewart (D); J. Reedy (R); J. Ragan (R); W. Lamberth (R); J. Lafferty (R); D. Howell (R); G. Hardaway (D); C. Halford (R); B. Dunn (R); K. Camper (D); K. Calfee (R)
1. **HB1727** DANIEL M. **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset- advisory council on workers' compensation.** Extends the advisory council on workers' compensation to June 30, 2021.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 17, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Wed 2/26/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Tue 3/17/20 1:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1649 - K. Roberts - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
2. **HB1737** DANIEL M. **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - commission on children and youth.** Extends the commission on children and youth to June 30, 2024.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate Government Operations Committee amendment 1 (016923) adds a requirement that the commission on children and youth appear before the senate government operations committee no later than April 30, 2021, to update the committee on the commission's progress in addressing the findings set forth in the June 2019 performance audit report issued by the comptroller of the treasury and any other matters related to the commission's function.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 17, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/16/20 - Re-referred to Senate Calendar Committee.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Wed 2/12/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/11/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Mon 3/16/20 4:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1659 - K. Roberts - 03/16/20 - Re-referred to Senate Calendar Committee.
3. **HB1738** DANIEL M. **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - committee for clinical perfusionists.** Extends the committee for clinical perfusionists to June 30, 2026.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 17, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 02/13/20 - Senate passed.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Wed 2/5/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Consent Calendar; Thu 2/13/20 8:30am - Senate Chamber, Senate Consent 2; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1660 - K. Roberts - 02/13/20 - Senate passed.
4. **HB1739** DANIEL M. **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - department of correction.** Extends the department of correction to June 30, 2024. Requires the department to appear back before the government operations committee no later than December 31, 2021, to update the committee on its progress in addressing the findings contained in the January 2020 performance audit report.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 1:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1661 - K. Roberts - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
5. **HB1745** DANIEL M. **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - department of transportation.** Extends the department of transportation to June 30, 2024.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/09/20 - Senate passed.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/4/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Mon 3/9/20 4:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Consent 2; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1667 - K. Roberts - 03/09/20 - Senate passed.

6. HB1750 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - human rights commission.** Extends the human rights commission to June 30, 2025.  
Daniel M. **Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Government Operations Committee 03/18/20.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1672 - K. Roberts - 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Government Operations Committee 03/18/20.
7. HB1758 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - pest control board.** Extends the pest control board to June 30, 2021.  
Daniel M. **Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 1:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1680 - K. Roberts - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
8. HB1760 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - polysomnography professional standards committee.** Extends the polysomnography professional standards committee to June 30, 2026.  
Daniel M. **Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 02/13/20 - Senate passed.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Wed 2/5/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Consent Calendar; Thu 2/13/20 8:30am - Senate Chamber, Senate Consent 2; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1682 - K. Roberts - 02/13/20 - Senate passed.
9. HB1772 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - state capitol commission.** Extends the state capitol commission to June 30, 2026.  
Daniel M. **Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Senate State & Local Government Committee recommended. Sent to Senate Calendar Committee.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Wed 2/19/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Mon 2/24/20 4:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Consent 2; Tue 3/17/20 10:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1694 - K. Roberts - 03/17/20 - Senate State & Local Government Committee recommended. Sent to Senate Calendar Committee.
10. HB1778 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - state textbook and instructional materials quality commission.** Extends the state textbook and instructional materials quality commission to June 30, 2024.  
Daniel M. **Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Taken off notice in Senate Government Operations Committee.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 1:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1700 - K. Roberts - 03/17/20 - Taken off notice in Senate Government Operations Committee.
11. HB1786 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - Tennessee radiologic imaging and radiation therapy board of examiners.** Extends the Tennessee radiologic imaging and radiation therapy board of examiners to June 30, 2022.  
Daniel M. **Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 02/24/20 - Senate passed.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Wed 2/19/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Mon 2/24/20 4:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Consent 2; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1708 - K. Roberts - 02/24/20 - Senate passed.
12. HB1788 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - University of Tennessee, board of trustees.** Extends the University of Tennessee, board of trustees to June 30, 2024.  
Daniel M. **Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 18, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/16/20 - Re-referred to Senate Calendar Committee.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/11/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Mon 3/16/20 4:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Consent 2; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB1710 - K. Roberts - 03/16/20 - Re-referred to Senate Calendar Committee.
13. HB2378 **GOVERNMENT REGULATION: Continues permanent rules filed with the secretary of state after January 1, 2019.** Requires all permanent rules still in effect upon the effective date of this act that were filed in the office of secretary of state after January 1, 2019, remain active until repealed or amended unless the rule conflicts with the provisions of any legislative enactment other than the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act.  
Daniel M. **Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 24, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.  
**House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 1:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; SB2287 - K. Roberts - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.

Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee

Final Calendar. MEMBERS: CHAIR M. Littleton (R); M. Curcio (R); C. Johnson (R); J. Potts (D); I. Rudder (R)

1. HB2328 **FAMILY LAW: Eli's Law.** Establishes procedures for placing newborns in the department of children's services' custody if the parent has previously had a child removed and is in custody of child services. Entitles a parent to a hearing within five days of petitioning the removal. Broadly captioned.  
Crawford J. **Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 16, 2020) Increase State Expenditures Exceeds \$106,100/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years Increase Federal Expenditures Exceeds \$85,600/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years  
**Senate Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 2/18/20 3:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Judiciary Committee; Tue 3/3/20 3:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Judiciary Committee; Tue 3/10/20 3:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Judiciary Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB2109 - J. Lundberg - 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.
2. HB1913 **ESTATES & TRUSTS: Time period for filing small estate affidavit.** Changes from 45 to 30 days following a decedent's death, the time period after which a small estate affidavit must be filed with the clerk of court.  
Carter M. **Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 28, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 02/03/20 - Referred to Senate Judiciary Committee.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/11/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Children & Families Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB1986 - J. Stevens - 02/03/20 - Referred to Senate Judiciary Committee.

3. HB1967 **FAMILY LAW: Appointment of a guardian ad litem.** Requires the court to appoint a guardian ad litem in circumstances including the child being subject to two or more reports of abuse in the last year, a teacher or medical provider reporting harm, and a child having a positive drug test based on the parent's drug use. Broadly captioned.  
Carter M.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 12, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB1907 - F. Haile - 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.
4. HB2410 **FAMILY LAW: Disentanglement Act.** Requires that policies endorsing secular marriage, defined as marriage between a biological man and a biological woman, be enforced, recognized and respected. Requires that agents of the state only issue and recognize secular marriage licenses. States that these actions do not violate the United States Constitution or the Constitution of Tennessee.  
Ragan J.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 4, 2020) Decrease State Revenue Exceeds \$5,700/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years Decrease State Expenditures - \$3,443,000/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years Decrease Local Revenue Exceeds \$7,600/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years Decrease Local Expenditures Exceeds \$344,300/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years Other Fiscal Impact Passage of this legislation could jeopardize federal funding to the Division of TennCare of approximately \$8,220,046,800 in FY20-21 and subsequent years if it is determined the state is noncompliant with federal law. Federal funding the Department of Human Services receives for the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program and for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families could also be in jeopardy. These funds total over \$2 billion.  
**Senate Status:** 02/10/20 - Referred to Senate Judiciary Committee.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/11/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Children & Families Subcommittee; Mon 3/9/20 1:00pm - House Hearing Rm III, Joint Council on Pensions and Insurance; Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB2625 - J. Bowling - 02/10/20 - Referred to Senate Judiciary Committee.
5. HB2310 **FAMILY LAW: Jurisdiction of courts pertaining to common law marriage.** Requires attorney general defend any action against a local official or any political subdivision of the state who fails to issue a marriage license to applicants not meeting license requirements. Requires circuit court judges' jurisdiction in common law marriage cases be limited to the definition of marriage existing with the Constitution of Tennessee. Restricts the chancery court from having concurrent jurisdiction involving the definition of common law marriage. Broadly captioned.  
Leatherwood T.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 11, 2020) Decrease State Revenue Exceeds \$883,200/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years Decrease Local Revenue Exceeds \$833,200/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years Other Fiscal Impact For each instance of reimbursement of defense costs for local officials, it is estimated that an increase in state expenditures will exceed \$10,000.  
**Senate Status:** 02/10/20 - Referred to Senate Judiciary Committee.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB2290 - J. Bowling - 02/10/20 - Referred to Senate Judiciary Committee.
6. HB2141 **CRIMINAL LAW: Requires parental presence during an interrogation of a child in danger of being removed from the home.** Requires a parent or guardian be present during an interrogation or interview of a juvenile suspected of violating a state or federal law if the violation places the child in danger of being removed from their home. A child may not waive this right. Broadly captioned.  
Love Jr. H.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 8, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/4/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Children & Families Subcommittee; Wed 3/11/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Children & Families Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB1847 - R. Akbari - 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.
7. HB858 **FAMILY LAW: Electronic request for child's school records by noncustodial parent.** Permits a noncustodial parent or a parent who does not reside with the child to submit an electronic request for the child's school records, where electronic submission is available. Broadly captioned.  
Parkinson A.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 8, 2019) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 02/07/19 - Referred to Senate Judiciary Committee.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB733 - J. Lundberg - 02/07/19 - Referred to Senate Judiciary Committee.
8. HB2081 **FAMILY LAW: Removes custody and visitation rights for a parent guilty of conceiving a child by rape.** Creates grounds for a parent to petition for the termination of parental rights in which the child was conceived by the crime of rape when the other parent has been found guilty of rape in a fact-finding hearing. Establishes that a parent convicted of rape from which the child was conceived does not have custody, visitation or inheritance rights with respect to that child.  
Powell J.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 13, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 3/10/20 3:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Judiciary Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB1725 - S. Kyle - 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.
9. HB1900 **CRIMINAL LAW: Requires video recordings for interrogations of juvenile suspects.** Requires video recordings of an interview or interrogation of a juvenile suspected of committing an unruly or delinquent act.  
Lamar L.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 27, 2020) Increase Local Expenditures Exceeds \$40,200/FY20-21\* Exceeds \$6,700/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years\*  
**Senate Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/4/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Children & Families Subcommittee; Wed 3/11/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Children & Families Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB1846 - R. Akbari - 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.
10. HB1609 **FAMILY LAW: Financial assistance for relative caregivers.** Establishes a financial assistance program to provide child care payments to eligible relative caregivers, which allows such caregivers to receive up to 82 percent of the full foster care rate for the care of a dependent child. Requires the department of children's services to publish an annual report by February 1 of each year containing certain data about the program.  
Staples R.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 15, 2020) Increase State Expenditures - \$31,801,100/FY20-21 \$31,793,600/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years HB 1609 - SB 1603 1  
**Senate Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB1603 - R. Briggs - 03/12/20 - Set for Senate Judiciary Committee 03/17/20.
11. HB1873 **CRIMINAL LAW: Allows temporary removal of guns from at-risk owners.** Allows any family member, household member, intimate partner, or law enforcement officer who reasonably believes a person is at risk of harming others if in possession of a firearm to file an emergency order of protection against that person. Upon filing the petition, the courts can immediately issue an ex parte emergency protection order, which will prohibit the person from purchasing or owning a firearm during the time of the protective order. Requires a hearing to be held within 30 days of order's issuance at which time the court may dissolve or extend the protective order for up to one year. Creates a Class A misdemeanor for a violation of an emergency order of protection. Establishes other requirements for an emergency protection order. Broadly captioned.  
Johnson G.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 29, 2020) Increase Local Expenditures - \$1,900/FY20-21 and Subsequent Years\*  
**Senate Status:** 01/27/20 - Referred to Senate Judiciary Committee.  
**House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House Children & Families Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/18/20 2:00pm - CANCELED, House Children & Families Subcommittee; SB1807 - S. Kyle - 01/27/20 - Referred to Senate Judiciary Committee.

Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee



Regular Calendar 1. MEMBERS: CHAIR G. Hicks (R); J. Deberry Jr. (D); R. Tillis (R); R. Staples (D); L. Miller (D); A. Holt (R); D. Hawk (R); R. Gant (R); K. Camper (D); B. Ogles (R); S. Lynn (R); M. Hill (R); P. Hazlewood (R); S. Whitson (R)

1. **HB2255 TRANSPORTATION GENERAL: Redefines restrictions pertaining to billboards regulations and the Control Act of 1972.** Revises various sections of the Control Act of 1972. Defines Lamberth W. an "off-premises device" as outdoor advertising that is separate from business facility. Adds a severability clause to the Act (15 pp.). Part of Administration Package. Broadly captioned.
- Amendment Summary:** House Transportation Committee amendment 1 (016494) deletes all language after the enacting clause. Creates the "Outdoor Advertising Control Act of 2020." Makes various changes to the Billboard Regulation and Control Act of 1972. Specifies that neither the application for an addendum nor the payment of the \$200 fee is required for an outdoor advertising device with a digital display lawfully permitted as legal conforming or legal nonconforming, erected and in operation prior this legislation. Prohibits TDOT from requiring any addendum for an outdoor advertising device with a digital display lawfully erected and in operation prior to the effective date of this legislation. Specifies that neither the application for an addendum nor the payment of the \$200 fee is required for an outdoor advertising device authorized by valid permit from the department that was effective on September 10, 2019 and has been upgraded to a changeable message sign with a digital display between September 11, 2019 and the effective date of this legislation. Exempts any advertising structure existing along the parkway system by and for the sole benefit of a nonprofit organization exempt from federal income tax from the payment of fees for permits or tags. Specifies that a valid permit that was effective on September 10, 2019, shall not become invalid based on any failure to renew the permit between November 1 and December 31, 2019 and such permit shall not be subject to renewal until the renewal period occurring after the effective date of this legislation. Authorizes the TDOT Commissioner to assess and collect from the owner who has failed to remove a non-conforming outdoor advertising device a civil penalty in the amount of \$100 for each calendar day not to exceed \$3,000. Authorizes such an owner to contest. Stipulates that the TDOT Commissioner is given authority to promulgate and enforce only those rules as necessary to carry out this legislation within 60 days of the effective date of this legislation, rather than the authority to promulgate and enforce any and all regulations as required and necessary. Makes various changes to the Scenic Highway System Act of 1971 and the Tennessee Parkway System Act to reflect and mirror the provisions of the Outdoor Advertising Control Act of 2020. House Transportation amendment 2 (016828) adds language to the amended legislation to specify that should TDOT receive documentation from a federal agency that compliance with a provision of this legislation may jeopardize federal funding or grant money, then TDOT is not required to comply with such provision; provided, that TDOT complies with each provision of this legislation that does not jeopardize such federal funding or grant money. Senate Transportation & Safety Committee recommended with amendment 1 (016922) deletes all language after the enacting clause. Creates the "Outdoor Advertising Control Act of 2020." Makes various changes to the Billboard Regulation and Control Act of 1972. Specifies that neither the application for an addendum nor the payment of the \$200 fee is required for an outdoor advertising device with a digital display lawfully permitted as legal conforming or legal nonconforming, erected and in operation prior this legislation. Prohibits TDOT from requiring any addendum for an outdoor advertising device with a digital display lawfully erected and in operation prior to the effective date of this legislation. Specifies that neither the application for an addendum nor the payment of the \$200 fee is required for an outdoor advertising device authorized by valid permit from the department that was effective on September 10, 2019 and has been upgraded to a changeable message sign with a digital display between September 11, 2019 and the effective date of this legislation. Exempts any advertising structure existing along the parkway system by and for the sole benefit of a nonprofit organization exempt from federal income tax from the payment of fees for permits or tags. 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Makes various changes to the Scenic Highway System Act of 1971 and the Tennessee Parkway System Act to reflect and mirror the provisions of the Outdoor Advertising Control Act of 2020. Adds language specifying that should TDOT receive documentation from a federal agency that compliance with a provision of this legislation may jeopardize federal funding or grant money, then TDOT is not required to comply with such provision; provided, that TDOT complies with each provision of this legislation that does not jeopardize such federal funding or grant money.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 1, 2020) Other Fiscal Impact Passage of this legislation will prevent a penalty against federal funding received from the Federal Highway Administration estimated to exceed \$93,100,000.
- Senate Status:** 03/11/20 - Senate Transportation & Safety Committee recommended with amendment. Sent to Senate Calendar Committee.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Wed 3/4/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm IV, House Infrastructure Subcommittee; Wed 3/11/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Transportation Committee; Wed 3/11/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Transportation & Safety Committee; Tue 3/17/20 3:30pm - CANCELED, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; SB2188 - J. Johnson - 03/11/20 - Senate Transportation & Safety Committee recommended with amendment. Sent to Senate Calendar Committee.
2. **HB1699 INSURANCE HEALTH: Requires a health insurance entity to cover telehealth services.** Requires a health insurance entity to cover telehealth services similarly to in person services. Prohibits a health insurance entity from denying coverage because the service provided classified as telemedicine and not an in person encounter and requires the health insurance entity to reimburse health care service providers without consideration for the patients geographic location and for out of network providers of telemedicine under the same policies used for out of network in person services. Broadly captioned.
- Amendment Summary:** House Insurance Committee amendment 1 (015470) deletes and rewrites all language after the enacting clause such that the only substantive changes are: Requires a health insurance entity to reimburse an originating site hosting a patient as part of a telehealth encounter an originating site fee in accordance with CMS telehealth services rule 42 C.F.R. § 410.78 and at the amount established by CMS. HB 1699 - SB 1892 2 Tenn. Code Ann. § 56-7-1003(6) defines "provider-based telemedicine" as the use of Health Insurance Portability and Accessibility Act (HIPAA) (42 U.S.C. § 1320d et seq.) compliant real-time, interactive audio, video telecommunications, or electronic technology, or store-and-forward telemedicine services, used over the course of an interactive visit by a healthcare services provider to deliver healthcare services to a patient within the scope of practice of the healthcare services provider when certain criteria are met. States that it does not include an audio-only conversation; an electronic mail message or phone text message; a facsimile transmission; remote patient monitoring; or healthcare services provided pursuant to a contractual relationship between a health insurance entity and an entity that facilitates the delivery of provider based telemedicine as the substantial portion of the entity's business. Requires an in-person encounter between the healthcare service provider, the provider's practice group, or the healthcare system and the patient within 18 months prior to a telehealth encounter prior to the provider-based telemedicine service; Requires a health insurance entity to provide coverage and reimbursement for healthcare services provided during a provider-based telemedicine encounter in a manner that is consistent with what the health insurance policy or contract provides for in-person encounters for the same service; and declares nothing requires a healthcare services provider to submit a claim for reimbursement to a health insurance entity for provider-based telemedicine services. Exempts a health incentive program operated by a health insurance entity that utilizes an electronic device for physiological monitoring from being considered remote patient monitoring services required to be covered if the same service is covered by Medicare. Defines "telehealth", "telemedicine" and "provider-based telemedicine" notwithstanding any restriction imposed by Tenn. Code Ann. § 56-7-1002 or § 56-7-1003, as the use of real-time audio, video, or other electronic media and telecommunication technology that enables interaction between a healthcare provider and a patient; or store-and-forward telemedicine services, as defined in Tenn. Code Ann. § 56-7-1002, for the purpose of diagnosis, consultation, or treatment of a patient in another location where there may be no in-person exchange.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 7, 2020) Increase State Expenditures \$1,139,300/FY21-22 \$1,154,200/FY22-23 and Subsequent Years Increase Federal Expenditures \$2,170,600/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years Increase Local Expenditures Exceeds \$2,900/FY21-22\* Exceeds \$5,900/FY22-23 and Subsequent Years\*
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Mon 2/10/20 1:00pm - House Hearing Rm III, Joint Council on Pensions and Insurance; Wed 2/12/20 12:30pm - CANCELED, House Life & Health Insurance Subcommittee; Wed 2/19/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House Life & Health Insurance Subcommittee; Mon 2/24/20 1:00pm - House Hearing Rm III, Joint Council on Pensions and Insurance; Wed 2/26/20 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House Life & Health Insurance Subcommittee; Tue 3/3/20 1:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Insurance Committee; Wed 3/11/20 11:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; Tue 3/10/20 1:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Commerce & Labor Committee; Tue 3/17/20 12:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Commerce & Labor Committee; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; SB1892 - A. Swann - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.

3. **HB1175** **TENNCARE: Reports on use of technical assistance groups of healthcare providers in developing episodes of care.** Clarifies that the bureau of TennCare and the health care finance and administration of the department of finance and administration may submit by electronic means the quarterly reports on the use of technical assistance groups of healthcare providers in developing episodes of care. Broadly captioned.  
Weaver T.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate Commerce & Labor Committee amendment 1 (008352) rewrites the bill. Defines ambulance service provider. Requires the bureau of TennCare to reimburse ambulance service providers for covered services provided to TennCare recipients at a rate not less than 70 percent of the federal medicare program's allowable charge for participating providers. House Insurance Committee amendment 1 (012963), which deletes all language after the enacting clause. Requires the Division of TennCare (Division) to reimburse ambulance service providers for covered services provided to TennCare recipients at a rate not less than the federal Medicare program's allowable charge for participating providers.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 8, 2019) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 04/30/19 - Taken off notice in Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 4/2/19 1:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Commerce & Labor Committee; Wed 4/3/19 12:30pm - CANCELED, House TennCare Subcommittee; Wed 4/10/19 12:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House TennCare Subcommittee; Tue 4/9/19 1:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Commerce & Labor Committee; Tue 4/16/19 3:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Commerce & Labor Committee; Mon 4/15/19 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Insurance Committee; Tue 4/23/19 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 4/24/19 1:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Thu 4/25/19 1:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Mon 4/29/19 2:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Tue 4/30/19 1:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Tue 2/11/20 12:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Insurance Committee; Wed 3/11/20 11:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; SB1469 - K. Yager - 04/30/19 - Taken off notice in Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee.
4. **HB2249** **TAXES SALES: Requires marketplace facilitators to remit sales taxes.** Classifies "acting as a marketplace facilitator" as a privilege that makes a person subject to the sales and use tax laws. Defines "marketplace facilitator" as a person, including any affiliate of the person, that: (1) For consideration, regardless of whether characterized as fees from the transaction, contracts, or otherwise agrees with a marketplace seller to facilitate the sale of the marketplace seller's tangible personal property or things or services taxable under this chapter through a physical or electronic marketplace operated, owned, or otherwise controlled by the person or the person's affiliate; and (2) Either directly or indirectly through contracts, agreements, or other arrangements with third parties, collects the payment from the purchaser of the marketplace seller's tangible personal property or things or services taxable under this chapter and transmits payment to the marketplace seller. The following are not considered marketplace facilitators for purposes of this bill: a person who exclusively provides advertising services, including listing products for sale, so long as the person does not also engage directly or indirectly through one or more affiliated persons in the activities described above; a person whose activity with respect to marketplace sales is limited to providing payment processing services between two or more parties; and a derivatives clearing organization, designated contract market, or foreign board of trade or swap execution facility that is registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC registered platforms"), or any clearing members, futures commission merchants, or brokers using the services of CFTC registered platforms. Under this bill, when a marketplace seller uses a marketplace facilitator to facilitate sales of tangible personal property or any of the things or services taxable under the sales and use tax laws, the marketplace facilitator will be liable for the taxes on the sales price of the tangible personal property or the things or services regardless of whether the marketplace seller has a sales tax certificate of registration or would have been required to collect sales or use taxes had the sale not been facilitated by the marketplace facilitator unless: (1) The marketplace facilitator made or facilitated total sales to consumers in this state of \$500,000 or less during the previous 12-month period; (2) The marketplace facilitator demonstrates, to the satisfaction of the commissioner, that substantially all of the marketplace sellers for whom the marketplace facilitator facilitates sales are registered dealers, in which case the commissioner is authorized to waive the requirements of this bill. If a waiver is granted, the taxes levied will be collectible from the marketplace sellers; or (3) The marketplace facilitator and the marketplace seller contractually agree that the marketplace seller will collect and remit all applicable taxes and the marketplace seller: (A) Has annual gross sales in the United States of over \$1 billion, including the gross sales of any related entities, and in the case of franchised entities, including the combined sales of all franchisees of a single franchisor; (B) Provides evidence to the marketplace facilitator that it is registered for sales and use tax purposes in this state; and (C) Notifies the commissioner that the marketplace seller will collect and remit all applicable sales and use taxes on its sales through the marketplace facilitator and is liable for failure to collect or remit applicable taxes on its sales. Authorizes the commissioner to audit a marketplace facilitator for sales made by marketplace sellers and facilitated by the marketplace facilitator, except with respect to transactions that are subject to (1)-(3) above. The commissioner may not audit or otherwise assess taxes against marketplace sellers for sales facilitated by a marketplace facilitator except to the extent the marketplace facilitator seeks relief as provided below or with respect to transactions that are subject to items (1)-(3) above. This bill requires a marketplace facilitator to: (1) Collect taxes on sales through its marketplace based upon the address where the taxable tangible personal property or things are shipped, if the facilitator collects and remits sales and use taxes; taxes on services sold through its marketplace shall be collected as otherwise provided in present law; (2) Report the sales and use taxes on sales through its marketplace separately from any sales and use taxes collected on sales made directly by the marketplace facilitator or affiliates of the marketplace facilitator. Under this bill, a marketplace facilitator will be relieved of liability for failure to collect and remit the correct amount of taxes to the extent that the error was due to incorrect or insufficient information regarding the nature of the product or service given to the marketplace facilitator by the marketplace seller if the marketplace facilitator demonstrates that it made a reasonable effort to obtain correct and sufficient information from the marketplace seller. This provision will not apply if the marketplace facilitator and the marketplace seller are affiliates. This bill provides that: (1) A class action lawsuit may not be brought against a marketplace facilitator in this state on behalf of purchasers relating to overcollection of sale or use taxes by the marketplace facilitator, regardless of whether that claim is characterized as a tax refund claim; (2) This bill does not affect the obligation of any purchaser to remit sales or use taxes for any taxable transaction for which a marketplace facilitator or seller does not collect and remit sales and use taxes; and (3) A marketplace facilitator will be considered the seller and retailer for each sale facilitated through its marketplace for purposes of registering with the department.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 24, 2020) Increase State Revenue - \$84,010,800/FY20-21 \$112,014,400/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years Increase Local Revenue - \$28,003,600/FY20-21 \$37,338,100/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years The Governors proposed budget, on page A-35, recognizes a recurring increase in state revenue of \$44,820,500 to the General Fund.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 2/25/20 9:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance Revenue Subcommittee; Tue 3/3/20 8:30am - CANCELED, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Tue 3/10/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; SB2182 - J. Johnson - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.

Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee Calendar 2

Regular Calendar 2.

1. **HB2821** **PUBLIC FINANCE: Appropriations- FY2019 and FY2020.** Makes appropriations for the fiscal years beginning July 1, 2019, and July 1, 2020.  
Lamberth W.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee Calendar 2; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; SB2466 - J. Johnson - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
2. **HB2820** **PUBLIC FINANCE: Bond issuance.** Authorizes the state of Tennessee, acting by resolution of its funding board, to issue and sell general obligations bonds of the state in amounts not to exceed \$124 million.  
Lamberth W.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 16, 2020) Increase State Expenditures \$13,640,000 First Year Debt Service \$202,120,000 Over the life of the bonds \$124,000,000 Principal \$78,120,000 Interest The Governors proposed budget for FY20-21, on page A-13, recognizes a proposed bond authorization of \$124,000,000.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee Calendar 2; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; SB2469 - J. Johnson - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.

3. HB2819 **PUBLIC FINANCE: Index of appropriations.** Authorizes the index of appropriations from state tax revenues for 2019-2020 fiscal year to exceed the index of estimated growth in the state's economy by \$629 million or 3.6 percent.  
Lamberth W.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 8, 2020) Other Fiscal Impact Authorizes an increase in appropriations from state tax revenue for FY19-20 by \$629,000,000.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee Calendar 2; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee;
- SB2468 - J. Johnson - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.

4. HB2822 **PUBLIC FINANCE: Statutory provisions necessary to implement appropriations act.** Clarifies that fees paid by a defendant requesting pretrial diversion are to be deposited in the general fund. Specifies the remittance and allowed uses of certain fees under the sexual offender registry provisions. Makes other statutory revisions necessary to implementation of the annual appropriations act. Broadly captioned.  
Lamberth W.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated March 16, 2020) Increase State Revenue \$3,887,100/FY20-21/General Fund \$2,832,900/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/General Fund Decrease State Revenue - \$3,887,100/FY20-21/TBI \$2,832,900/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years/TBI The Governors proposed budget document for FY20-21 (page B-214) includes recurring funding of \$3,958,200 to the TBI.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee Calendar 2; Wed 3/18/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee;
- SB2467 - J. Johnson - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.

Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor

1. SB1649 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset- advisory council on workers' compensation.** Extends the advisory council on workers' compensation to June 30, 2021.  
Roberts K.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 17, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Wed 2/26/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Tue 3/17/20 1:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee;
- HB1727 - M. Daniel - 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20.
2. SB1661 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - department of correction.** Extends the department of correction to June 30, 2024. Requires the department to appear back before the government operations committee no later than December 31, 2021, to update the committee on its progress in addressing the findings contained in the January 2020 performance audit report.  
Roberts K.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 1:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee;
- HB1739 - M. Daniel - 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20.
3. SB1663 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - department of general services.** Extends the department of general services to June 30, 2024.  
Roberts K.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/16/20 - House passed. Wed 2/12/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Mon 3/9/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Government Operations Committee; Thu 3/12/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm I, House Calendar & Rules Committee Consent; Mon 3/16/20 5:00pm - House Chamber, House Consent; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor;
- HB1741 - M. Daniel - 03/16/20 - House passed.
4. SB1666 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - extends the department of safety.** Extends the department of safety to June 30, 2023.  
Roberts K.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/16/20 - House passed. Mon 3/2/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Government Operations Committee; Thu 3/12/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm I, House Calendar & Rules Committee Consent; Mon 3/16/20 5:00pm - House Chamber, House Consent; Tue 3/17/20 1:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor;
- HB1744 - M. Daniel - 03/16/20 - House passed.
5. SB1680 **GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATION: Sunset - pest control board.** Extends the pest control board to June 30, 2021.  
Roberts K.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 20, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 1:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee;
- HB1758 - M. Daniel - 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20.
6. SB2022 **TENNCARE: Annual Coverage Assessment Act of 2020.** Enacts the Annual Coverage Assessment Act of 2020, which establishes an annual coverage assessment on hospitals of 4.52 percent of a covered hospital's annual coverage assessment base.  
Haile F.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate Health & Welfare Committee amendment 1 (014926) deletes all language after the enacting clause. Enacts the Annual Coverage Assessment Act of 2020, which establishes an annual coverage assessment on hospitals of 4.87 percent of a covered hospital's annual coverage assessment base. Adds a new subdivision to Tenn. Code Ann. § 71-5-2005(d)(1) that designates \$50,000 of the funds from the Assessment to fund the cost of a pilot program with the TennCare managed care organizations to improve care coordination for TennCare enrollees and reduce administrative burden.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 15, 2020) Increase State Revenue - \$568,600,800/FY20-21/ Maintenance Coverage Trust Fund Increase State Expenditures - \$568,600,800/FY20-21/ Maintenance Coverage Trust Fund Increase Federal Expenditures - \$1,097,519,300/FY20-21/ Maintenance Coverage Trust Fund Revenue recognition in the amount of \$568,600,800 is included in the Governors proposed FY20-21 budget (page A-34). Corresponding non-recurring appropriations in the amount of \$1,666,120,100 (\$568,600,800 in state funds and \$1,097,519,300 in federal matching funds) are also included.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Insurance Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/4/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House TennCare Subcommittee; Wed 3/11/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House TennCare Subcommittee; Mon 3/9/20 1:45pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Health & Welfare Committee; Tue 3/17/20 12:00pm - CANCELED, House Insurance Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 11:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Insurance Committee;
- HB2170 - P. Hazlewood - 03/17/20 - Set for House Insurance Committee 03/18/20.

7. SB2078  
Yager K. **TENNCARE: Cost and utilization reports for ambulance providers.** Requires the bureau of TennCare to use the annual cost and utilization report filed by ambulance providers to determine the calculation of assessments if the quarterly and total transport data is not adequate. Requires ambulance providers to file an annual cost and utilization report to the bureau of TennCare no later than May 31 of each calendar year and specifies that report must contain data from the previous calendar year. Current law requires the report to be submitted no more than 90 days after the end of each calendar year. Requires the bureau to assess a penalty of \$100 for each day that an ambulance provider does not submit the report. Specifies information that is required to be provided by ambulance providers in such reports.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate Health & Welfare Committee amendment 1, House Insurance Committee amendment 1 (014689) deletes and rewrites all language after the enacting clause such that the only substantive change is to add language to extend the Ground Ambulance Provider Assessment Act until June 30, 2021.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 17, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20. Wed 2/26/20 12:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Health & Welfare Committee; Wed 2/26/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House TennCare Subcommittee; Tue 3/3/20 1:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Insurance Committee; Tue 3/10/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/11/20 11:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; Tue 3/17/20 3:00pm - CANCELED, House Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 3:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Committee; HB2184 - J. Reedy - 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20.
8. SB2123  
Reeves S. **TENNCARE: Nursing home assessment trust fund - notice regarding reducing payments for nursing facility and nursing home services.** Requires the bureau of TennCare to provide notice to the chairs of the health and welfare committee of the senate and the health committee of the house prior to reducing payments on a pro rata basis for nursing facility and nursing home services so as not to exceed the amounts held in the nursing home assessment trust fund.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate Health & Welfare Committee amendment 1, House TennCare Subcommittee amendment 1 (015517) deletes all language after the enacting clause. Extends the annual nursing home assessment for FY20-21.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 4, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Insurance Committee 03/18/20. Wed 3/11/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House TennCare Subcommittee; Mon 3/9/20 1:45pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Health & Welfare Committee; Tue 3/17/20 12:00pm - CANCELED, House Insurance Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 11:30am - House Hearing Rm III, House Insurance Committee; HB2138 - C. Johnson - 03/17/20 - Set for House Insurance Committee 03/18/20.
9. SB2182  
Johnson J. **TAXES SALES: Requires marketplace facilitators to remit sales taxes.** Classifies "acting as a marketplace facilitator" as a privilege that makes a person subject to the sales and use tax laws. Defines "marketplace facilitator" as a person, including any affiliate of the person, that: (1) For consideration, regardless of whether characterized as fees from the transaction, contracts, or otherwise agrees with a marketplace seller to facilitate the sale of the marketplace seller's tangible personal property or things or services taxable under this chapter through a physical or electronic marketplace operated, owned, or otherwise controlled by the person or the person's affiliate; and (2) Either directly or indirectly through contracts, agreements, or other arrangements with third parties, collects the payment from the purchaser of the marketplace seller's tangible personal property or things or services taxable under this chapter and transmits payment to the marketplace seller. The following are not considered marketplace facilitators for purposes of this bill: a person who exclusively provides advertising services, including listing products for sale, so long as the person does not also engage directly or indirectly through one or more affiliated persons in the activities described above; a person whose activity with respect to marketplace sales is limited to providing payment processing services between two or more parties; and a derivatives clearing organization, designated contract market, or foreign board of trade or swap execution facility that is registered with the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC registered platforms"), or any clearing members, futures commission merchants, or brokers using the services of CFTC registered platforms. Under this bill, when a marketplace seller uses a marketplace facilitator to facilitate sales of tangible personal property or any of the things or services taxable under the sales and use tax laws, the marketplace facilitator will be liable for the taxes on the sales price of the tangible personal property or the things or services regardless of whether the marketplace seller has a sales tax certificate of registration or would have been required to collect sales or use taxes had the sale not been facilitated by the marketplace facilitator unless: (1) The marketplace facilitator made or facilitated total sales to consumers in this state of \$500,000 or less during the previous 12-month period; (2) The marketplace facilitator demonstrates, to the satisfaction of the commissioner, that substantially all of the marketplace sellers for whom the marketplace facilitator facilitates sales are registered dealers, in which case the commissioner is authorized to waive the requirements of this bill. If a waiver is granted, the taxes levied will be collectible from the marketplace sellers; or (3) The marketplace facilitator and the marketplace seller contractually agree that the marketplace seller will collect and remit all applicable taxes and the marketplace seller: (A) Has annual gross sales in the United States of over \$1 billion, including the gross sales of any related entities, and in the case of franchised entities, including the combined sales of all franchisees of a single franchisor; (B) Provides evidence to the marketplace facilitator that it is registered for sales and use tax purposes in this state; and (C) Notifies the commissioner that the marketplace seller will collect and remit all applicable sales and use taxes on its sales through the marketplace facilitator and is liable for failure to collect or remit applicable taxes on its sales. Authorizes the commissioner to audit a marketplace facilitator for sales made by marketplace sellers and facilitated by the marketplace facilitator, except with respect to transactions that are subject to (1)-(3) above. The commissioner may not audit or otherwise assess taxes against marketplace sellers for sales facilitated by a marketplace facilitator except to the extent the marketplace facilitator seeks relief as provided below or with respect to transactions that are subject to items (1)-(3) above. This bill requires a marketplace facilitator to: (1) Collect taxes on sales through its marketplace based upon the address where the taxable tangible personal property or things are shipped, if the facilitator collects and remits sales and use taxes; taxes on services sold through its marketplace shall be collected as otherwise provided in present law; (2) Report the sales and use taxes on sales through its marketplace separately from any sales and use taxes collected on sales made directly by the marketplace facilitator or affiliates of the marketplace facilitator. Under this bill, a marketplace facilitator will be relieved of liability for failure to collect and remit the correct amount of taxes to the extent that the error was due to incorrect or insufficient information regarding the nature of the product or service given to the marketplace facilitator by the marketplace seller if the marketplace facilitator demonstrates that it made a reasonable effort to obtain correct and sufficient information from the marketplace seller. This provision will not apply if the marketplace facilitator and the marketplace seller are affiliates. This bill provides that: (1) A class action lawsuit may not be brought against a marketplace facilitator in this state on behalf of purchasers relating to overcollection of sale or use taxes by the marketplace facilitator, regardless of whether that claim is characterized as a tax refund claim; (2) This bill does not affect the obligation of any purchaser to remit sales or use taxes for any taxable transaction for which a marketplace facilitator or seller does not collect and remit sales and use taxes; and (3) A marketplace facilitator will be considered the seller and retailer for each sale facilitated through its marketplace for purposes of registering with the department.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 24, 2020) Increase State Revenue - \$84,010,800/FY20-21 \$112,014,400/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years Increase Local Revenue - \$28,003,600/FY20-21 \$37,338,100/FY21-22 and Subsequent Years The Governors proposed budget, on page A-35, recognizes a recurring increase in state revenue of \$44,820,500 to the General Fund.
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20. Tue 2/25/20 9:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance Revenue Subcommittee; Tue 3/3/20 8:30am - CANCELED, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Tue 3/10/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; HB2249 - W. Lamberth - 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee 03/18/20.
10. SB2287  
Roberts K. **GOVERNMENT REGULATION: Continues permanent rules filed with the secretary of state after January 1, 2019.** Requires all permanent rules still in effect upon the effective date of this act that were filed in the office of secretary of state after January 1, 2019, remain active until repealed or amended unless the rule conflicts with the provisions of any legislative enactment other than the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 24, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 1:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Government Operations Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 1:30pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Government Operations Committee; HB2378 - M. Daniel - 03/17/20 - Set for House Government Operations Committee 03/18/20.

11. SB2299 JACKSON E. **CAMPAIGNS & LOBBYING: Statewide or regional training seminars to be conducted by the coordinator of elections.** Allows the coordinator of elections to notify administrators, deputies or county election commissioners, within 30 days of their appointment, of any statewide or regional training seminars to be conducted by the coordinator during the 12-month period following their appointment. Broadly captioned.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate State & Local Government Committee amendment 1, House amendment 1 (014715) rewrites the bill and establishes a person commits a Class E felony if they intentionally deceive or disseminate incorrect or misleading information regarding the qualifications to vote. Establishes a person commits a Class D felony if they intentionally tamper with, interfere with, or damage a voting machine, if they obtain unauthorized access to a voter registration database, intentionally forge election results, or cause intentional disruption to the operation of any election website maintained by a state or county government entity.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 8, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/09/20 - House passed with amendment 1 (014715). Wed 2/19/20 10:00am - House Hearing Rm IV, House Elections & Campaign Finance Subcommittee; Tue 2/25/20 10:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Wed 2/26/20 2:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Local Committee; Tue 3/3/20 10:30am - CANCELED, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Thu 3/5/20 8:00am - House Hearing Rm I, House Calendar & Rules Committee; Tue 3/10/20 9:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Mon 3/9/20 5:00pm - House Chamber, House Floor; Tue 3/17/20 10:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; HB2364 - T. Rudd - 03/09/20 - House passed with amendment 1 (014715).
12. SB2453 ROBERTS K. **TAXES PROPERTY: Property designated as agricultural.** Extends, from March 1 to March 15, the deadline by which an owner of land may submit an application to the assessor of property for its classification to be designated as agricultural. Broadly captioned.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate State & Local Government Committee amendment 1, House Property & Planning Subcommittee amendment 1 (015032) rewrites the bill. The only substantive change to the original bill removes certain real property assessments which are under appeal before the State Board of Equalization from eligibility for equalization.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 4, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/10/20 - House Property & Planning Subcommittee recommended with amendment 1 (015032). Sent to full committee. Tue 3/10/20 9:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Tue 3/10/20 4:30pm - House Hearing Rm IV, House Property & Planning Subcommittee; Tue 3/17/20 10:00am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; HB2348 - E. Helton - 03/10/20 - House Property & Planning Subcommittee recommended with amendment 1 (015032). Sent to full committee.
13. SB2492 DICKERSON S. **ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES: Removes reporting requirement of an expired pilot project of the alcoholic beverage commission.** Removes the requirement that the executive director of the alcoholic beverage commission must file a report with the senate state and local government committee and the house state committee on the success or failure of the expired pilot project. Broadly captioned.
- Amendment Summary:** House Department & Agencies Subcommittee amendment 1 (015438) deletes all language after the enacting clause. Designates several properties as premier tourist organizations for the propose of selling alcohol. Senate State & Local Government Committee amendment 1 (016648) deletes all language after the enacting clause. Authorizes multiple entities to sell alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated January 28, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/12/20 - Set for House State Committee 03/17/20. Tue 2/25/20 12:00pm - House Hearing Rm II, House Department & Agencies Subcommittee; Tue 3/3/20 10:30am - CANCELED, House State Committee; Tue 3/10/20 10:30am - House Hearing Rm I, House State Committee; Tue 3/10/20 9:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate State & Local Government Committee; Tue 3/17/20 10:30am - CANCELED, House State Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; HB1930 - B. Ramsey - 03/12/20 - Set for House State Committee 03/17/20.
14. SR141 BELL M. **JUDICIARY: TN Rules of Civil Procedure - approves amendments and revisions.** Ratifies and approves the amendments and revisions to the Tennessee Rules of Civil Procedure as promulgated by the Supreme Court
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20. Tue 3/17/20 1:00pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Judiciary Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor;

### Wed 3/18/20 3:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Committee

The committee will meet immediately following the Finance, Ways, and Means Subcommittee. MEMBERS: CHAIR S. Lynn (R); VICE CHAIR P. Hazlewood (R); J. Coley (R); J. Shaw (D); R. Staples (D); J. Windle (D); J. Zachary (R); R. Tillis (R); J. Faison (R); D. Hawk (R); L. Miller (D); C. Todd (R); S. Whitson (R); R. Williams (R); J. Reedy (R); B. Ogles (R); C. Baum (R); K. Camper (D); J. Crawford (R); J. Deberry Jr. (D); R. Gant (R); G. Hicks (R); M. Hill (R); A. Holt (R); S. Kumar (R); W. Lamberth (R)

1. HB2184 REEDY J. **TENNCARE: Cost and utilization reports for ambulance providers.** Requires the bureau of TennCare to use the annual cost and utilization report filed by ambulance providers to determine the calculation of assessments if the quarterly and total transport data is not adequate. Requires ambulance providers to file an annual cost and utilization report to the bureau of TennCare no later than May 31 of each calendar year and specifies that report must contain data from the previous calendar year. Current law requires the report to be submitted no more than 90 days after the end of each calendar year. Requires the bureau to assess a penalty of \$100 for each day that an ambulance provider does not submit the report. Specifies information that is required to be provided by ambulance providers in such reports.
- Amendment Summary:** Senate Health & Welfare Committee amendment 1, House Insurance Committee amendment 1 (014689) deletes and rewrites all language after the enacting clause such that the only substantive change is to add language to extend the Ground Ambulance Provider Assessment Act until June 30, 2021.
- Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 17, 2020) NOT SIGNIFICANT
- Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.
- House Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for House Finance, Ways & Means Committee 03/18/20. Wed 2/26/20 12:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Health & Welfare Committee; Wed 2/26/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm III, House TennCare Subcommittee; Tue 3/3/20 1:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Insurance Committee; Tue 3/10/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/11/20 11:00am - House Hearing Rm III, House Finance, Ways & Means Subcommittee; Tue 3/17/20 3:00pm - CANCELED, House Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Tue 3/17/20 8:30am - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Finance, Ways & Means Committee; Wed 3/18/20 2:30pm - Senate Chamber, Senate Floor; Wed 3/18/20 3:00pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Finance, Ways & Means Committee; SB2078 - K. Yager - 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Floor 03/18/20.

### Wed 3/18/20 3:30pm - House Hearing Rm I, House Calendar & Rules Committee

The committee will meet immediately following the Finance, Ways, and Means Committee. MEMBERS: CHAIR J. Zachary (R); VICE CHAIR L. Russell (R); R. Smith (R); B. Terry (R); M. Stewart (D); J. Shaw (D); S. Lynn (R); W. Lamberth (R); K. Keisling (R); C. Johnson (R); D. Howell (R); J. Windle (D); J. Faison (R); M. White (R); T. Hill (R); M. Hill (R); B. Dunn (R); J. Deberry Jr. (D); M. Daniel (R); M. Curcio (R); J. Crawford (R); K. Camper (D); C. Sexton (R); C. Boyd (R); C. Halford (R)

### Wed 3/18/20 3:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm I, Senate Health & Welfare Committee

MEMBERS: CHAIR R. Crowe (R); VICE CHAIR F. Haile (R); 2ND VICE CHAIR S. Reeves (R); J. Hensley (R); E. Jackson (R); B. Massey (R); A. Swann (R); B. Watson (R); J. Yarbro (D)

1. **SB1208** **HEALTH CARE: Requires report on incidence of sudden infant death syndrome.** Requires the commissioner of health to report to the senate health and welfare committee and the health committee of the house of representatives concerning the incidence of sudden infant death syndrome and any other unexplained causes of infant and child death in the state since the passage of the Sudden, Unexplained Child Death Act. Broadly captioned.  
Crowe R.  
**Fiscal Note:** (Dated February 7, 2019) NOT SIGNIFICANT  
**Senate Status:** 03/17/20 - Set for Senate Health & Welfare Committee 03/18/20.  
**House Status:** 02/07/19 - Caption bill held on House clerk's desk. Wed 3/18/20 3:30pm - Senate Hearing Rm 1, Senate Health & Welfare Committee;  
HB685 - B. Terry - 02/07/19 - Caption bill held on House clerk's desk.

Wed 3/18/20 5:00pm - House Chamber, House Floor